THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight, Tuesday fair probably followed by showers. There probably will be light variable winds.

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687 BODIES FOUND

But Many Others Still to be Recovered

NEW YORK, June 20.—All along the East river from Brother Island down to Hell Gate, search was made today for bodies of victims of the Slocum disaster. Although 652 bodies had been recovered last night, reports from the first few minutes of work today added five more to the total. These were found at widely separated points and the searchers were of the opinion that before the day ended the list of missing would be considerably decreased. They believe that the big steamers and other craft will so stir up the water as to cause the bodies lying along the bed of the river to rise to the surface.

Wreckers at work on the Slocum today encountered new difficulties. Instead of the hull resting in mud, as they thought they found that it rested on rocks which were never known to exist. This they say will delay the work somewhat.

GEN. BELL DEFIANT

Would Put State Under Martial Law

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., June 20.—In response to a telegram from an eastern newspaper asking for a statement from him as to whether he said that Governor Peabody would soon have to declare the whole of Colorado in a state of rebellion and put the state under martial law, Adjutant General Bell has replied as follows:

"The alleged interview is absolutely without foundation. I not only never gave out such an interview, but the idea is absolutely foreign to my mind under the past and present conditions.

"There is no need of directing Colorado under martial law and all insurrections will be dealt with accordingly. "I do not believe that this will ever be necessary. In my judgment the Colorado labor troubles are at an end.

"We have been making the fight for the whole of the U. S., as the western federation of miners has been receiving financial support and other assistance from the country at large. Colorado is looking to other states to follow suit."

HORRIBLY TREATED

LABOR LEADER TELLS OF MINERS' SUFFERINGS.

DENVER, Col., June 20.—Replying to an inquiry from an eastern newspaper as to the justification, if any, for the reported assertion of General Bell that the state of Colorado would be placed under martial law, if such a move became necessary, Secretary Haywood, of the western federation of miners sent the following message:

"No, there is nothing in the situation to justify the prediction of General Sherman Bell, unless perchance the people become aroused over the awful torture inflicted upon innocent victims confined in the bull pens and the relentless, cruel war being waged against women and children."

EVANS AND BUGBEE

Two "Desperation" Candidates for Street Superintendent

In desperation over their ineffectual attempts to get a republican in to succeed Supt. Beals the republican machine politicians now announce that George C. Evans and D. Web. Bugbee are candidates for the position of superintendent of streets

The claim has been previously made that there were no republican candidates and thus the republicans were afforded an excuse to vote for Crowley and several republicans to whom they went to jump into the breach to help them out having turned them down they turn in their desperation to Beals and Bugbee, the latter being the assistant superintendent of sewers who was appointed from the civil service list recently.

Evans is a candidate who never could get any support from the machine when he was a candidate and Bugbee only one week ago before he was mentioned as a candidate for first place was at City Hall working in the interest of Crowley.

Thus it would appear that the republican machinists are on their last legs and tomorrow night's meeting of the common council when Mr. Crowley's name comes up again will be watched with interest.

STATE HIGHWAY

Hearing Before the County Commissioners Today

An informal hearin gthat had to do with the location of the much talked of state road between Lowell and Lawrence was given by the county commissioners in their hearing room at the court house this forenoon. The survey was made eight years ago and the state is now ready to take it up. The proposed road will be one of the links, so to speak, of his state road from New Hampshire to the sea. The meeting this forenoon ,although an informal one, was largely attended. The selectmen of Dracut were there together with Representatives Hayes, Pinder, O'Brien ,McMannon, Timmins and Adams, ex-Representative Mahoney and many others interested in the state road question.

With the exception of one man who hailed from East Dracut the speakers, and about everybody present had something to say, were enthusiastically in favor of having the road built at as early adate as possible. The state is ready to do business if the town and county will hand out the rough grade for the foundation. The man from East Dracut, the lone remonstrant, thought the selectmen would be doing the town a injustice if they should seriously favor the promotion of the scheme to build the road from Lowell through Dracut tto Lawrence. One of the men in favor of the proposition said that the man from East Dracut opposed it because as surveyed the road would not run past his back door.

The county commissioners will give a public hearing on the question, July 25, at the town office in Dracut.

FIVE SHIPS SUNK

In the Raid of the Russian Vladivostok Fleet

Fierce Fighting at Vafangow in Which Japanese Won a Great Victory—Report That an Inner Fort at Port Arthur Has Been Taken—Gen. Stakelberg Cornered

LONDON, June 20.—Complete reports show that five Japanese ships were sunk during the remarkable raid of the Vladivostok squadron.

The results of the raid have caused anger and indignation in Japan, and feeling is running high against Kamimura for failing to capture or destroy the Russian vessels.

RUSSIANS BURIED ON BATTLEFIELD

TOKIO, June 20—2.15 p.m.—General Oku reports that he buried 1516 Russian dead on the field after the battle of Vafangow and then the work was incomplete. The natives say that the Russians themselves buried and also carried away many of their dead.

RUSSIA'S OFFER FOR SIX CRUISERS

ST. PETERSBURG, June 20—2 p.m.—It is definitely established that negotiations for the purchase by Russia of six Argentine cruisers had almost reached a successful conclusion when Argentine raised the question as to under what flag they would be transferred, she being unwilling to sell direct to either belligerent. The medium through which the negotiations were conducted suggested that they be transferred to Venezuela or Bulgaria which would turn them over to Russia, but President Roca rejected the proposal, insisting that a bona fide maritime power should be the purchaser.

Then Turkey began negotiations through the Argentine legation at Paris. The result of these negotiations is not known.

Commander Moneta has arrived here on his way to the far east to observe the operations for the Argentine navy. General Reynolds of the Argentine army, who had been ordered to join General Kuropatkin is ill in Sweden.

ANOTHER ATTACK BY JAPANESE FLEET

LIOA YANG, June 20.—A correspondent of the Associated Press who spent the night at Haichen, reports having heard heavy firing to the southward and believes it to have been either an attack upon Tashi Chiao or the Japanese fleet again bombarding the coast near Kaping. The fire continued from 1 o'clock at night until the morning. The cause of it yet has not been obtained. Heavy rain is falling here.

VICEROY ALEXIEFF MADE A KNIGHT

ST. PETERSBURG, June 20.—The Patriarch of Jerusalem has appointed Viceroy Alexieff a Knight of the True Cross and has sent to the viceroy the decoration, containing a piece of the true cross with a letter expressing the hope that it will preserve him from all harm and enable him to come out victorious in his fight for the Orthodox church.

PEASANT REFORMS

TAKEN UP BY PROVINCIAL COMMITTEE.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 20—The St. Petersburg provincial consultative committee, summoned by the emperor to discuss peasant reforms, assembled here today. The most important question regarding what the opinion of the committee was, was whether the communal customs should remain in force or the statute law be applied. Other provincial committees have already discussed the question, a minority of them favoring the abolition of the common law. The opinions of St. Petersburg committee is expected to exercise great weight in the decision of the matter.

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UNITED IRISH LEAGUE

DECIDES TO TROLLEY TO THE BEACH AUG. 1.

The United Irish League met last evening and transacted considerable business It was voted to hold the annual picnic at Revere Beach on the first Thursday in August, the electric cars to be used for transportation.

The committee reported having conferred with the board of trade of Revere and secured the entertainment privilege accorded last year which will entitle every member of the party to a ticket for some show on the beach. It may be the Johnstown Flood, Darkness and Dawn, The Old Mill or something else.

The matter of choosing delegates to the convention in New York was temporarily laid over.

Michael A. Lee gave a recitation and Patrick Connolly made a statement of the rapid progress being made in the transfer of land to the tenants under the new land act.

The meeting adjourned to meet in Shattuck hall next Sunday evening when the election of offiers will take place.

FUNERALS

RICHARDSON—The funeral services of J. Claude Richardson were held Saturday afternoon at the Varnum cemetery, Rev. F. I. Kelley officiating. Undertakers Young & Co. had charge of the burial, which was in the Varnum cemetery.

NICHOLS—The funeral services of Sarah L. Nichols were held Saturday at her residence, 320 Wilder street, Rev. C. T. Billings being the officiating clergyman. The body was sent to Fitchburg, Mass., for burial by Undertaker Currier.

FAY—The funeral of Miss Agnes Maude Fay took place from her late residence at 105 Nesmith street yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. A. St. John Chambre, rector of St. Anne's, of which church Miss Fay was a member, read the Episcopal service. The funeral was private, only the closet friends of the lamented young lady being present. The pall bearers were: Jas. F. Corbett, Esq., Arthur H. H. Hosford, Charles W. Stott, Frederick R. Emerson, George S. Motley and Harry Pollard. J. B. Currier had general charge of the funeral arrangements.

GOING TO TANGIER.

GIBRALTAR, June 20.—The battleship squadron of the North Atlantic fleet consisting of the Kearsarge, flying the flag of Rear-Admiral Barker, commanding; Alabama, Maine and Iowa arrived here today and will sail for Tangier after coaling.

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MANY OFFENDERS

Disposed of by Judge Hadley in Court Today

Judge Hadley, after a pleasant visit at Atlantic City, returned to this city Saturday and presided in police court today. The judge is looking fresh as a daisy and says that he enjoyed his vacation immensely. He had a long line of offenders to dispose of and there were several orators in the crowd whose pleadings were familiar to the court because of the many visits paid the court by the pleaders.

There was the drunkards, the common drunkards, the man who got drunk by accident and the premeditated drunk, all in a line and in some instances the offenders endeavored to establish an excuse for 'filling up."

One fellow said that life at home was not congenial because of his mother-in-law, whom he discribed as a fat, lady, jolly at times and d—— ugly at times."

Another fellow said that the temptation to drink was so strong that he could not hold out against it, but if allowed to go he would try a new tack which he thought would queer the temptation. When asked why he hadn't gone on the new tack before he said he didn't think of it until this morning.

He said he couldn't explain but would draw it on paper if the court so desired. It was a ten to one shot that the rats were nibbling at the spare ribs in his belfry and he was shipped to the workhouse where there are none too select to do a crazy man homage. He wanted to know if he would have to walk to the workhouse. He was told that he could ride.

"I haven't got the price," he said. "You don't need it," replied the deputy, "the carriage will call for you at about 2 o'clock."

"Fine and dandy," said the man in the dock. "It will seem like old times to ride in a carriage and I'd rather go to the workhouse than to the jail. If a fellow can hit at all he can make a home run at the farm and if the ball goes over the left field fence it's a cinch for a home run."

After the man sentenced to the workhouse had finished his little speech on home runs the common drunkard had his inning. "Your honor," he said, "there is a cause for everything and my case does not prove the exception. I confess, your honor, that I have been drinking steadily for several weeks. There was a time when I didn't drink; when I went home from work and frolicked with the little ones who bore my name. My wife was faithful for years and I loved her with all my heart. Her smiles inspired me and her kind words assisted me in braving the storm of life. We were happy and the prattle of the little ones that played about us was music to our ears. But, there came a day when a cloud darkened our home and when it entered, joy and happiness fled. My wife fell from grace. It's a sad, sad story, your honor and ——." "That man never was married," said the arresting officer and the common drunkard, alias romancer, was told to sit down.

HE WAS SEEING THINGS.

A few short weeks ago, Mark Donlan, made things lively in Central street. He was being chased by the devil that follows in the wake of a prolonged debauch and he was surrounded by all the reptiles of the orient. He was arrested and appeared in police court. Mark promised the court at that time that he would give whiskey, rum, gin and everything else that contained a particle of alcohol the go-by. He said he had seen all the snakes and devils that he wanted to see and he was sure that the flowing bowl would have no further charm for him. It may be that Mark meant just what he said and if he did, it was but the weakness of human flesh that found him in the vicinity of Tilden street yesterday fighting devils and uncoiling snakes. Wild Indians, rain-in-the-face, snow-on-the-head, hail-in-the-eyes and all big Indians from the old Merrimack reservation were chasing him and Mark was putting up a very game fight. The lamp post, in his estimation was the worst indian in the bunch, and he pounded the poor little post right and left, with the result that Mark's hand was very tired and sore when the patrol wagon pulled up and a very polite police officer invited Mark to ride. Mark didn't have any objections to offer and he stepped into the wagon as lightly as a boy from a springboard. At the police station, however, he decided that he would not leave the wagon and he put up a very strenuous kick. It required the services of three stalwart officers to put Mark where he belonged. In police court this morning his case was considered and he was sentenced to the workhouse for a term of six months.

AN UNWORTHY HUSBAND.

Austin H. Kelliher was charged with failing to provide lawful and reasonable support for his minor child and pleaded guilty. It will be remembered that The Sun a few weeks ago published a story that had to do with a man who deserted his wife and children in Tilden street. It was Austin Kelliher and he took his place among men in police court today without a quiver or a blush. He left his wife with a three-weeks' old baby and two other children to care for. The poor woman, after the cupboard was bare and the last stick of wood burned, went to the mill and applied for work. She fainted in the mill and was taken back to her cheerless home suffering with chills and fever. Later, through the instrumentality of Agent Richardson of the Humane society, she was removed to the hospital. Today she was in police court and she told Judge Hadley that her husband had not contributed a cent to her support or the support of their children for nine weeks. "I am afraid of him," she said. "He told me he would kill me if I brought an officer into the house to arrest him." Kelliher was fined $10 and put under $100 bonds to keep the peace for six months.

WIFE JOLLIED HIM.

Edward Lebleu, wearing a summer suit and a jaunty cap, quite up-to-date, pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with failing to provide proper support for his wife. He confessed that he had not given his wife any money for three years, but he had an excuse and that excuse was about as fat as a match. He said that he was willing to support her if she would stop jollying him. "A man can't work all day and be jollied at night," he said to the court. "She used to keep me awake nights jollying me and I couldn't stand it. I will do the right thing if she will give me a chance." It was the third time that Lebleu had been before the court for non-support and he told the same story every time. He was let off on probation twice and failed to live up to the provisions of his probation. He was sentenced to three months in jail.

ANOTHER NON-SUPPORT CASE.

Archibald M. Goodwin, charged with non-support of his wife, was fined $10 and was ordered in $100 to keep the peace for six months.

TOOK CORN AND OATS.

Gregory O'Connor was charged with the larceny of three bushels of oats and three bushels of corn the property of Edmund Fairburn. He failed in an endeavor to make the court believe that he meant all right and was fined $12.

TO PROTECT HIS GOOD NAME.

Dennis Keefe was charged with assault and battery on complainant unknown. He pleaded guilty and when asked to explain his action, said: "He told my wife that he saw me in the stone quarry with another woman, my sister-in-law. I wasn't there at all and I didn't want him to be telling lies about me. That is why I hit him. Dennis was fined $13.

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Mary Courtney, workhouse, one month; Cornelius Sullivan, workhouse, two months; Frank Gill, workhouse, four months; Mary Farley, workhouse, four months; Michael J. Hoar, common jail, three months; Charles Elston was fined $12; Patrick Miles, Mary J. Bailey, Celia Plumpton and James Murray were fined $6 each.

Patrick J. Sheridan was fined $6. Nine first offenders were fined $2 each and two were released.

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LATEST

LIEUT. COM. SCRIBNER

Discharged in Roxbury Court This Morning

No Evidence on Which to Hold Him for the Death of Marion Holder

In the municipal court at Roxbury this morning the case of Lieut. Commander Scribner came up on the charge of manslaughter in having run over and killed a little girl named Marion Holder. There were many witnesses for the government, but no testimony was given to show that Mr. Scribner did not use reasonable caution at the time of the accident.

The point was brought out quite strongly that the little girl ran in front of the auto without any warning that would allow the driver to reverse the power.

Lt.-Com. Scribner himself testified, which is rare in a criminal case and practically repeated his sintements to the newspapers.

After the evidence was all in Judge Bolster summed up and said he found nothing on which he could hold the defendant on a criminal charge. He therefore, ordered the defendant discharged. William N. Osgood appeared for the defense.

PERDICARIS FREE

His Liberation Arranged for Tomorrow

WASHINGTON, June 20—The navy department has received a cablegram from Rear Admiral Chadwick at Tangier, saying that Perdicaris and Varley probably will be released tomorrow.

TRIED TO SUICIDE

Insane Woman Jumped Into Concord River

Sarah Abbott, an insane woman residing at 8 Mellen's yard tried to commit suicide by jumping into the Concord river near her home yesterday afternoon. She was fished out by neighbors and today was removed to the city farm.

DEATHS

FAY—The funeral of Michael Joseph Fay took place yesterday afternoon from his late home, 167 Jewett street, at 2.30. The bearers ,were William Hunt, John Balfrey, Daniel Callahan, Michael Conuton, Thomas Kennedy and John Lanham. The interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Rev. Fr. Shaw of St. Michael's church. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

LOWELL WOMAN

INJURED IN THE ACCIDENT AT PLYMOUTH, N. H.

Among those injured in a railroad accident at Plymouth, N. H., today was Mrs. C. H. Nelson of this city. Mrs. Nelson was crushed against one of the seats in the passenger coach and was badly bruised. Her injuries are not serious.

DIED OF CANCER.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Mrs. Orrin W. Potter ,wife of a Chicago millionaire, is dead of cancer at the family summer home, at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin.

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ADVANCE IN COAL

Local Dealers With One Exception Form Combination

All the coal dealers in Lowell with the exception of Edward Cawley, have advanced the price of coal to $7.50 a ton.

Mr. Cawley says he can make a fair profit at $7.00 a ton and he has refused to join with the other dealers in the demand for $7.50.

The Lowell coal company has advanced its price $1.15. That company was retailing at $6.35 a ton, but yesterday the $7.50 price was adopted.

A representative of the Lowell Coal company said today that the company had been selling coal at cost and that the company has been losing instead of making money. "The wholesale price," he said, "has been advancing steadily and we had to advance or go out of business. I do not know how many other coal companies will ask $7.50 a ton. Coal is selling at retail, in Boston for $6.75 a ton, and the freight to Lowell costs 55 cents a ton, so you see that at $7.50 a ton we are not reaping as much profit as the Boston retailers." The representative of the Lowell Coal company couldn't explain how it was that Mr. Cawley could see his way clear to sell at $7.00 a ton. The coal dealers held a meeting yesterday and, with the exception of Mr. Cawley, agreed upon the following prices: Broken, egg, stove and lehigh, $8.00; Franklin, $8.50; Cumberland, $7.00. Mr. Cawley said this afternoon that for the present he would hold to $7.00 a ton for broken, egg, stove and nut.

HE WAS TOUCHED

Member of Lowell Party at Exposition

LOST HIS MONEY AND RETURN TICKET

Members of Party Deny the Startling Report

A startling story is going the rounds to the effect that one of the members of the City Hall party that recently went to the St. Louis Exposition was the victim of either a bunco man or a pickpocket who got away with the Lowell man's ready cash and his return ticket to Lowell.

The members of the party are silent when questioned in regard to it and if it happened the members are loyally keeping it to themselves. But such matters are hard to keep a profound secret and the facts in this case appear to be gradually leaking out.

Fortunately for the member touched there were others in the party who had plenty of the long green with them and who wouldn't have the heart to refuse him a loan and hence he was enabled to replenish his wallet and get back to Lowell on scheduled time.

Who might the unfortunate be? Guess!

HILDRETH FAMILY

HELD REUNION AT NORTH CHELMSFORD.

A reunion of the Hildreth family of New England was held Thursday at the town hall in Chelmsford Centre, with over 60 representatives of the family present, including members from Worcester, Boston, Melrose, Fitchburg, Cambridge, Cornish, N. Y., Taunton, Lowell, Haverhill, Bradford and Concord. Those who took part in the exercises were Mrs. Charles D. Palmer of Lowell, Edwin Hildreth of Harvard, and Dr. J. L. Hildreth of Cambridge. A pilgrimage was made to the grave of Richard Hildreth, the pioneer of the Hildreth family in this country. Mrs. Rosanna Hildreth of Lakeview avenue, the oldest living member of the family, was among those present. She is 90 years old.

REPORT OF DEATHS

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 18, 1904.

June.
8—Emma J. Greenleaf 47, cancer.
10—Mary L. Whitney 61, diabetes.
11—Mary Dooling 62, nephritis.
Blanche E. May 35, suicide.
Yuzefa Gumbrewicz 32, bronchitis.
——— Renan Smith, premature.
12—Thomas Cattrall 6 mos., pneumonia.
Dorothy Draddy 2 mos., heart disease.
Louis Noel 2 days, debility.
13—Elmire Desrosiers 72, pneumonia.
Henry W. Rochette 9 mos., pneumonia.
Nicholas Degis 6 mos., bronchitis.
Esther Farley 2 mos., marasmus.
Lillian M. Johlmore 12 days, inanition.
14—Mary A. Howarth 75, Bright's disease.
Maria Suslowicz 5 days, marasmus.
Patrick Mitchell 22, appendicitis.
15—J. Ovide Chouinard 40, delirium tremens.
James W. Shea 25, tub peritonitis.
Joseph A. Mullaney 20, pneumonia.
16—Catherine Maguire 74, arterio sclerosis.
Sarah L. Nichols 58, ch. nephritis.
George S. Pierce 2, enteritis.
Omer E. Lessier 1, chol. infl.
Fotine Houpos 5 mos., bronchitis.

GIRARD P. DADMAN, City Clerk.

DEATHS

GREEN—Mrs. Frederick Green, nee Margaret McGurn, of this city, died yesterday of appendicitis in a New York hospital. The deceased is survived by a husband, Frederick, two sons, Arthur and Frederick, and one daughter, Arvilla.

Economy

Is a strong point with Hood's Sarsaparilla. A bottle lasts longer and does more good than any other. It is the only medicine of which can truly be said 100 DOSES ONE DOLLAR

THE SILENT CITY

Body of Edward O'Sullivan Borne There Saturday

The funeral of the late Edward F. O'Sullivan took place from his late home in Lawrence this forenoon. A solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. Mary's church at 10 o'clock. The funeral was a public one in recognition of his prominence as a public character. Several organizations turned out for escort duty, including Company F, which at one time he commanded and in which he served as a private in the ranks during the Spanish war, the Spanish War Veterans, Lawrence Council, Knights of Columbus, and similar organizations.

The body lay in state at the family home, 137 Lawrence street. The dead ex-senator rested in a handsome purple plush half couch casket, upon a bed of cream satin. A silver cross and the heavy plate adorn the cover. The handles were full extension silver.

In addition to the military and other organizations acting as escort, a large body of civilians marched from the house to St. Mary's church and after the service to the cemetery.

At the suggestion of Alderman Hart, chairman of the committee on engineering, the city engineer's department was closed yesterday out of respect to the late assistant engineer, Edward F. O'Sullivan, and a large gathering of city officials attended his funeral today. Many Lowell people attended the services at the church and at the grave.

FUNERALS

SHEA—The funeral of the late James W. Shea took place this morning at 9.30 from his home, No. 11 Lagrange street court. The interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

MAGUIRE—The remains of the late Catherine Maguire were consigned to their final resting place in the Catholic cemetery this morning. The funeral, which was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased took place from her late home, 27 Christian street, at 8.30 o'clock and proceeded to St. Michael's church in Sixth street, where a high mass of requiem was celebrated at 9 o'clock by Rev. Eugene A. Carney. The choir under the direction of Mr. T. P. Boutiger sang the Gregorian mass.

The bearers were Messrs. J. J. Rooney, McCormick McIntee, Isaac Barr, John Donohue, Thomas F. Fay and Patrick Riley.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence showing the esteem in which the deceased was held by her many friends and acquaintances.

The interment was in the Catholic cemetery where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Carney. The funeral was under the direction of Funeral Director Thomas J. McDermott.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Abraham B. Paroonagian and Mary Chakadjain were married Tuesday evening by the Rev. Archbishop Horsep Saradjain of Worcester. The ceremony was performed at the home of Mr. P. Gulezian. The witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. A. Babeglan. The ceremony was followed by a wedding reception and a large number of their friends gathered to extend their congratulations to the happy couple. Out of town guests came from Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Newburyport and Lawrence. There was oriental music and the house was prettily decorated for the occasion. Mr. and Mrs. Paroonagian were the recipients of many beautiful wedding gifts. They left on the 9.45 train Tuesday evening and will visit the fair at St. Louis before returning to Lowell.

PASSED EXAMINATION

FIFTY FIVE PUPILS ADMITTED TO HIGH SCHOOL.

The following passed examination held this week for admission to the High school:

Edward Allen, Immaculate Conception; John A. Andrews, Immaculate Conception; Etta Bennett, Parker Avenue, Dracut; Joseph H. Bessey, Immaculate Conception; George J. Bourke, Parker Ave., Dracut; James Buckley, Immaculate Conception; Frank S. Burden, Collinsville, Dracut; Elizabeth Burns, Immaculate Conception; Gertrude A. Burns, Immaculate Conception; Gertrude Burns, Immaculate Conception; Ralph F. Conroy, Varnum; Edward L. Conner, Sacred Heart; Rose A. Chappelle, Immaculate Conception; Ellen F. Christian, St. Michael's; Bertha L. Cooney, Immaculate Conception; Mary Coultrey, Immaculate Conception; Maud E. Curtis, North Chelmsford; Stella M. Davis, Collinsville; Lawrence Dulligan, Sacred Heart; Frank P. Ecklund, Parker Ave.; Fred G. Ecklund, Parker Ave.; Blanche N. Ecklund, Parker Ave.; Grover E. Fox, Dracut Centre; Ethel Gordon, Dracut Centre; Helena Harrington, Sacred Heart; Edwin Hassett, Immaculate Conception; Margaret A. Hayes, Immaculate Conception; Bernard Hurley, St. Michael's; Edward Molloy, Sacred Heart; James J. Mullaney, Immaculate Conception; Edward F. Murphy, St. Michael's; Lawrence F. Murphy, Kenwood, Dracut; Mary A. McCarthy, Immaculate Conception; Margaret M. McDonald, St. Michael's; Bernard A. McGovern, Immaculate Conception; Marion McKnight, Parker Ave.; Loretta McMonmen, Kenwood, Dracut; Thomas A. O'Brien, St. Michael's; Vincent O'Leary, Parker Ave.; Marietta E. O'Neill, Sacred Heart; Veraconda Queenan, Immaculate Conception; Elizabeth V. Quinn, Immaculate Conception; Francis A. E. Reed, St. Michael's; Fred A. Richardson, Dracut Centre; Herbert F. Riley, Tyngsboro; Harriet P. Rodliff, Parker Ave.; William L. Ryan, Sacred Heart; Minnie F. Scott, Parker Ave.; Jennie Shrigley, Sacred Heart; Mary F. Scroghan, Immaculate Conception; Dorothy Stimpson, Collinsville; Elizabeth Smith, Dracut Centre; Natalie Sleeper, Westford; William Trottier, St. Joseph; Mary L. Tully, Dracut Centre.

CHILD MISSING

Bessie White Strayed Away From Home

Bessie White, two and a half years old, is missing from her home, 34 Coburn street, and her parents are almost heart broken. No one saw Bessie leave her home and as Mr. White said this afternoon: "If the earth opened up and swallowed her it could not be more sudden or mysterious."

Bessie was playing with some other children in the yard that surrounds her house Saturday. Her mother was with the little ones and had occasion to go into the house for a few moments. When she returned to the yard Bessie was missing and the other children said they did not see her go away. Word was sent to the child's father, who was at work, and he scoured the neighborhood but no one had seen or heard of Bessie.

Her father says that she is as large as a child of three years; she has light hair cut in "sugar bowl" style, wore a blue tire, black shoes and stockings.

SHE TRIED SUICIDE

Woman Took Large Dose of Iodine

Frances L. Slater, of 153 Railroad street, attempted suicide today by taking an extra large dose of tincture of iodine. The woman has been in a melancholy mood for some time. She was taken hurriedly to the Emergency hospital and the doctors at that institution gave her emetics and she is now in a comfortable condition.

FLOAT PARADE

Would Hardly Do in This City

Several hundred Lowell people went to Charlestown last evening to witness the electrical parade and all returned home well pleased to know that the Fourth of July committee had decided not to have it in this city on the Fourth.

The floats were pretty enough but not suitable for a Fourth of July celebration and by no means as satisfactory as a first class display of fireworks. But even if the committee did decide to have the floats they could not be run through this city as they were in Charlestown. In the first place there is no suitable belt line in this city and the floats were so constructed that it would be impossible to run them backwards even if they would not look ridiculous if run that way which they certainly would. In Charlestown the floats were enabled to describe a circle about Charlestown but not without crossing the two Charlestown bridges into the city proper. The floats were somewhat cruder in their makeup than was generally supposed yet they were pretty and were made more attractive by the presence on them of many beautiful girls and women. When they were moving right it took the entire procession about 15 minutes to pass which would be a rather short time for a celebration to last in this city.

A feature of the parade was a beautifully appointed special car containing among others, Councilman Baldwin, McIntyre and James J. Hayes of the Fourth of July committee and Edwin Simpson and Homer L. P. Turcotte, their guests.

PERSONALS

Edwin S. Second has resigned as editor of the Nashua Telegraph and will be succeeded by Burt E. Warren, who received his newspaper training in Lowell. George P. Gutterson will succeed Mr. Warren as city editor. Mr. Second was business manager of the baseball team last year, and is the advertising manager of the Nashua Fair association.

Mrs. George Hickey of Boston is visiting her mother, Mrs. Murray, in Common street.

At the 71th annual meeting of the American Institute of Instruction, to be held in Bethlehem, N. H., July 5th to 8th inclusive, Miss Anna W. Devereaux of the Lowell Normal school is to speak on "Art Work," and Dr. Lyman C. Newell, recently appointed professor of chemistry at the Boston university, upon "How Physics and Chemistry Can Me Made More Profitable."

A delightful social and pit party was given at the home of Miss ... Ward, 635 Broadway last evening.

The Misses May Teague and Mamie Riley visited the camp at Framingham Thursday.

Mr. William F. Mahan, a popular young man of this city while trying to perform a somersault on the flying rings in the West End gymnasium, Boston, last week, missed his hold and fell head first to the ground, landing on his neck. He is up and around once more, after being in bed for several days.

Cards are out for the marriage of Mr. Arthur Felling Ferguson to Miss Eva Beharrel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen W. Beharrel, to take place in St. John's church at 11 o'clock on Wednesday, June 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene S. Hylan announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennie Mabelle, to Mr. William B. Herrick, Jr., of Malden, Mass.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margie E. McCaffrey to Mr. Jas. Albert Simpson. The wedding will take place June 29.

Misses Cora and Carrie Hacker of Dutton street have gone to Upper Mills, New Brunswick, for the summer.

Miss Emma Bradley and Miss Bertha Simpson, of Westford street, are to sail from New York for Europe on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Dunbar will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Flather while in Chicago. Mr. Dunbar goes as the Lowell delegate to the republican national convention.

Mr. Frederick A. Wood of this city has been selected to make an investigation of the financial history of Vermont for Carnegie Institution. His work, which has already begun, will extend over a period of four or five years, and will not occupy all of his time, and consequently will not interfere with his other literary work.

At the commencement exercises at Tufts college on Wednesday the degree of D. M. D. was conferred upon F. J. Hart of this city.

Mrs. Wm. F. Courtney of Middlesex street is dangerously ill at her home.

Mr. M. H. Hoar, for many years in the employ of the Lowell machine shop Co., has accepted the position of manager of the local office of the International Correspondence school, of Scranton, Pa. He will succeed Mr. Walter Bower, who will enter the employ of the Quincy Market Co., of Boston, Mass.

George T. Woodward, formerly superintendent of the lands and buildings department, was removed to the Soldiers' hospital Chelsea Mass., yesterday.

MAY BE LENNON

JAMES LYNCH CERTAIN BODY FOUND IS HIS.

The body found in the Merrimack river at Lawrence, last night, is undoubtedly that of Terrence Lennon of this city who boarded at James Lynch's boarding house in Worthen street and who has been missing from that place for the last two months. Mr. Lynch went to Lawrence this morning and viewed the body.

A representative of The Sun called at the residence of Mr. Lynch this afternoon and that gentleman said that he had viewed the remains at Colby's undertaking parlors in Lawrence and felt sure that the body was that of Terrence Lennon, but the body was in such a decomposed condition that he could not positively swear that it was Lennon's body.

He said that he saw the clothing but it was covered with mud and slime and was water soaked and looked like the clothing that Lennon wore when he disappeared, but it was in such a condition that it was difficult to identify it.

Mr. Lynch and several of the other boarders are going to Lawrence tonight to see if they can positively identify the body.

MORTALITY OF LOWELL

FOR THE WEEK ENDING JUNE 18, 1904.

Population 104,402, total deaths 25, deaths under 5 12, acute lung diseases 2.

Death rate: 12.45 against 14.94 and 11.95 for previous two weeks.

Infectious diseases reported: Scarlet fever 4, diphtheria 9, measles 22.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

APOPLECTIC SHOCK

LOWELL MAN STRICKEN AT NASHUA.

Artemus S. Young of Lowell, aged 75 years, was seized with an apoplectic shock in front of the city hall at Nashua shortly before 4 o'clock Thursday. He was taken to the hospital, where he was attended by Dr. F. E. McQuesten. He was not placed on the dangerous list.

PLAY GROUNDS OPENED.

The children's playgrounds in Centralville were opened today with very little formality and a great deal of pleasure. It seemed as if all the children in Centralville were there and they played and prattled to their hearts' content. It was a joyous scene and the promoters are to be congratulated for the splendid work which they have accomplished.

A NEW DEPARTURE.

Alderman James J. Gallagher, who, for the past 13 years has carried on the cigar and tobacco business in the Wentworth building, has bought the building and fixtures, stock and good will of the fruit store at Merrimack street depot. Kilpartrick Brothers erected the building and carried on the fruit and confectionery business there. Mr. Gallagher will try to please all of Kilpartrick's customers as well as his former ones. It will be his aim to keep the best line of fruit, confectionery and all goods usually found in a well appointed fruit store. He will keep all the leading brands of cigars and tobacco and will be pleased to have all his friends and customers and the public call at his new store, formerly Kilpartrick's fruit store.

Mr. Ellsworth E. Sunbury, who is a veteran in the fruit business, will continue in the employ of Mr. Gallagher.

INJURED HIS FOOT.

Arthur McPherson, residing at 32 Rock street, while at work this afternoon was struck by two timbers which fell from a pile, and struck the second toe of his left foot. He was taken to the Emergency hospital where it was found necessary to remove the nail.

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CANADIAN MILLS

To Adopt the Curtailment Policy

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 18.—Cotton mill officials in this section say they are not in a position to estimate the extent of the curtailment by Canadian mills which had been decided upon. The employees of the Gibson mills at Marysville, near here, the largest in Eastern Canada were notified today that after next week there will be no work for a fortnight. Similar orders, it is understood will be issued at the cotton mills in St. Stephen, Moncton, Halifax and elsewhere and it is expected at some plants the curtailment will be prolonged. The shut down of the Gibson mills was decided upon at a conference of leading Canadian manufacturers. The latter agreed to close all the mills of the Dominion and Canadian colored cotton companies, the merchants Mfg. company, the Montreal Mills of Valleyfield and Marysville mills for the first two weeks in July.

The St. Croix mills of Miltown are running on a short time schedule but the Cornwall and York mills of St. John have not as yet curtailed extensively.

The Canadians market and lack of protection from British goods which are admitted under a preference tariff, are advanced as the reasons for the general closing. The mills affected employ upwards of 10,000 hands.

LOST HIS WATCH

THIRD TIME IT WENT FOR GOOD.

BOSTON, June 18.—Charles A. Covell, 60 years old, of 8 Walter street, Hyde Park, was one of the crowd on the common yesterday afternoon. There he fell in with a couple of men who took him to a house on Staniford street. Drinks were ordered up, and Covell and his companions became good friends. During the season of conviviality Covell missed his watch and wondered where it had gone. It was laughingly returned by one of the men, who explained that he had taken it as a joke.

Then there were more drinks and once again the watch was missed by Covell, but just as before, it came back with the explanation from his friend that he had taken it just for practice. Then while one of his friends entertained Covell with stories of the city, the other went out and got an old brass case which he filled with a wad of paper.

Once more the good watch was taken from Covell, but this time in return the old brass case was put back in his pocket, and the Hyde Park man felt much relieved. Then the trio went out into Staniford street for a talk. Covell missed his watch again, and he suspected something wrong when he became aware of the substitution, and grabbed one of his "friends" by the throat and pinned him to a trolley pole. The other, seeing this action, gave the out-of-town visitor a blow in the face that sent him to the sidewalk, and in the mixup Covell's watch was passed to a third man, who made his way down Staniford street as fast as he could.

Later in the evening Covell, with a much-swollen face, told his story to the police of division 3.

BOSTON & MAINE

OUT HAMMER AND TONGS AFTER TRAMPS.

The Boston & Maine officials have recently sent out orders to everybody who has the care of a small house of any kind, switch shanty, gateman's house, tool house, hand car station, or anything else in the nature of a suitable refuge for tramps, on the right of way, to board up the windows and provide stout padlocks for use when the houses are not within sight of the man who has charge of them. It is understood that some pretty stiff orders have recently been given to freight trainmen on the tramp subject, but the trainmen refuse to talk for publication on the subject.

GEN. PORTER

GETS GRAND CROSS OF LEGION OF HONOR.

PARIS, June 18.—President Loubet has conferred upon the American ambassador, General Porter, the grand cross of the Legion of Honor, which is the highest grade of that historic order. It is an honor rarely bestowed even on chiefs of state and ambassadors, and it is the first time that it has ever been offered to a representative of America. As under the provision of the constitution the acceptance of any mark of distinction from a foreign country, even from a republic, requires the approval of congress, final action in the matter will await the authorization of that body. Foreign Minister Delcasse called at the ambassador's residence this morning and personally presented him the superb insignia of the Grand Cross. This consists of a wide, red silk band worn across the breast, having an enameled gold cross at the hip with an elaborate silver star to be worn on the right breast.

M. Delcasse accompanied the presentation by an earest explanation of the high personal esteem which M. Loubet and himself felt toward the American representative. The grand cross is the highest of the five grades of the Legion of Honor. These consist of chevelier, officer, commander, grand officer and grand cross. The latter is the grade worn by M. Loubet and has been conferred only a few times in recent years. That the American ambassador should have been singled out for this notable honor is considered to be a personal tribute to him and another evidence of the cordial sentiments of the French government toward America.

BY HIS LONELY

MEXICAN WAR VETERAN HELD A REUNION.

PARIS, Ill., June 18.—D. Burr, aged 85, a survivor of Company H, 4th regiment recruited here in 1864 for the war with Mexico has held a reunion by himself in the fair grounds. As he had done annually for 40 years, he called the roll of his company from the original, which he made with a quill pen. Several times in recent years he has held a reunion by himself owing to the enforced absence of other survivors.

QUARRIES SOLD

NEW YORK MAN GAVE A BID OF $75,000.

QUINCY, Mass., June 18.—After numerous postponements, a sale of the Quincy granite quarries company was effected today, William H. Russell of New York bidding in the property in the interest of the re-organization committee and trustees for $75,000. There was only one bid. Walter B. Farr, as master, authorized by the United States courts to sell the property under foreclosure proceedings conducted the sale. The company owned 27 quarries here and was incorporated under the laws of New Jersey at $1,500,000. Last year it defaulted on its bonds held by the American Loan and Trust company of Boston and went into the hands of a receiver. A plan of reorganization was agreed upon and it was arranged that today's foreclosure should take place in order to clear away the litigation. The reorganization plans, which were made public 10 days ago, have been approved by three-quarters of the bondholders and other creditors.

CROPS LOST

OWING TO THE PROLONGED DROUGHT.

BUCHAREST, Roumania, June 18.—Two-thirds of the Roumanian wheat and hay crops has already been lost owing to the prolonged drought and the maize crop is in great danger.

The synod has ordered that prayers be said for rain and that holy ikons be carried in procession on Sunday throughout the country. The minister of domains has ordered that leaves be gathered in the forests for use as winter fodder for cattle.

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EXCHANGED NOTES

LOUBET AND EMPEROR WILLIAM SEND MESSAGES.

PARIS, June 8.—A significant exchange of dispatches has occurred between Emperor William and President Loubet following M. Therys winning the James Gordon Bennett International automobile race at Homeburg yesterday. The emperor said: "I hasten to felicitate you, Mr. President, upon the victory French industry has just won and of which I have had the pleasure of being a witness. The welcome which the public has given the victor proves how success gained through intelligence and common purpose serves to create sentiments free from rivalry."

M. Loubet answered: "I am particularly grateful for your majesty's amiable telegram and for the sentiments which have inspired it. The success of French inquiry could not be better appreciated than by Germany inquiry which was so worthy of obtaining success."

The exchange of despatches creates a favorable impression and promises to alleviate some of the lingering French-German animosities.

REPUBLICAN DELEGATES

LEFT FOR CHICAGO SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

BOSTON, June 18.—The Massachusetts delegates to the republican convention at Chicago left here this afternoon on a special train for the west. The party was headed by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, former Governor John Long, and Col. E. C. Benton, three of the delegates at large. Former Governor Winthrop Murray Crane was to board the train at Pittsfield, near his home at Dalton. The party also included the four alternates at large, the 28 delegates from the congressional districts and the 28 alternates. Among the guests on board who will go to Chicago were the following:

Thomas Talbot, chairman of the republican state committee; Horace A. Athelton, Jr., secretary of the committee; James B. Reynolds, assistant secretary, George Lyman, collector of the port of Boston, J. O. Hayden, treasurer of Middlesex county, State Senator Daniel W. Lane, Winthrop M. Crane, Jr., mayor R. G. Wood of Haverhill, and State Senator Moody Kimball.

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RUSSIA SATISFIED

With the War Situation in the East

ST. PETERSBURG, June 18.—1.40 p. m. It has transpired that the simultaneous raid of the Vladivostok squadron and General Stakelberg's march southward were the direct outcome of a plan agreed upon by Viceroy Alexieff and General Kuropatkin at Mukden immediately after the battle of Kinchou to relieve the tension at Port Arthur. The authorities apparently are satisfied with the results of Stakelberg's mission, he having compelled the dispatch north of detachments for the third Japanese army commanded by General Nodzu, delaying the siege to that extent, while at sea the raid of the Russian squadron has rendered the further transport of troops from the Japanese mainland impossible.

The admiralty has no direct news from Vladivostok squadron and has not intimated what its further mission is. The papers are all rejoicing at its exploits, the Novoe Vyrema describing the raid as a marvel of dash and pluck.

The war office has received important news regarding General Kuroki and the reason why he is at Siyuen with three divisions of about 30,000 men and without reserves. But dispatches dated yesterday do not mention his advance. It is believed Kuroki really contemplated combined operations to cut off and pocket Stakelberg but that he delayed too long. It is understood that Kuropatkin sent a strong Russian force south of Liao Yang to meet Kuroki's move. It is possible that a general engagement may be precipitated in the neighborhood of Haicheng.

ALLEGED VIOLATION OF RED CROSS

TOKIO, June 18—3 p. m.—The Japanese government may decide not to make any formal protest through France against the alleged violation of the Red Cross at the battle of Telissu on the ground of its uselessness. It is believed that Russia will deny whatever the facts may be, creating a discussion which will only be a waste of time. Herein lies one disadvantage of the Japanese plan to restrict military observers and press correspondents for the reason that no matter how flagrant the violations they may charge of the law of nations, they are unable to substantiate them without the testimony of neutral witnesses.

BRITISH SAILORS RESCUED JAPANESE

NAGASAKI, June 18—Thirty more survivors from the transport Hitachi have arrived at Kakata and it is probable that more survivors have reached the adjacent islands. The authorities are reticent about the extent of the losses. The governor of Nagaski has officially thanked the British consul here for the services rendered by the British steamer Dunoar, in rescuing survivors of the Hatachi.

WOUNDED MEN REACH MUKDEN

LONDON, June 18.—A dispatch from Mukden to the Central News says two ambulance trains arrived there having on board 38 officials and 751 men who were wounded in the fight at Vafangow.

RUSSIANS DENY DEFEAT AT VAFANGOW

ST. PETERSBURG, June 18.—Military circles here do not view the battle of Vafangow as a defeat and they contend that Gen. Baron Stakelberg, unlike Lieut. Gen. Zassalich won more than he lost.

Whether or not Gen. Stakelberg's expedition to the south had an immediate bearing on the situation at Port Arthur, it is considered here as unquestionable that his presence here has caused a diversion which will materially affect the Japanese operations in the southern part of the Liao Tung peninsula. It is not thought likely that the Japanese had a large force north of Kinchou as that which engaged Stakelberg's division and the numbers seem to indicate that they drew off some of the troops immediately operating against Port Arthur.

It is pointed out that the force engaged at Vafangow must recuperate for several days and it is expected that the fight will materially retard the siege operations against Port Arthur.

WOUNDED ARRIVING AT LIAO YANG

LIAO YANG, June 18—The wounded in the first two days fighting at Vafangow are arriving here. A lieutenant of Cossacks says the American military attaches were with his command most of June 15 during the hottest part of the fighting. He commented upon their coolness and their professional interest in the operation to the exclusion of the idea of personal danger.

"The Russian artillery," the lieutenant says, "was splendidly served but was outmatched in number by the Japanese guns. One Russian battery pitted against six Japanese batteries was literally smothered by Japanese shells.

"I saw one Russian battery land six shells in the midst of an ammunition train which was galloping up to serve the Japanese guns. Two caissons exploded, killing all the horses and drivers.

"The Japanese guns fired at least 1500 rounds. The Russians fired several times on the Japanese infantry in close formation, causing the extreme havoc."

An officer of the Fourth battery says his battery was in a duel at two and a half miles with a Japanese battery and silenced. His battery then ran out of ammunition and the men carried the breech mechanism of the guns with them to the rear and brought up a fresh supply of ammunition and resumed serving the guns.

Several of the Russian dead found in the bushes were horribly mutilated. The foreign attaches drew up a formal memorandum on this.

CIRCULARS ISSUED AGAINST JAPANESE

SEOUL, June 17—4 p.m.—A Japanese official who has completed a tour of investigation of Northern Korea reports that the prospects are unexpectedly favorable. The natives employed as transport coolies did not accompany the Japanese army into Manchuria, but returned to the fields. The prejudice against war notes is decreasing and the importation of silver renders it always possible to redeem the notes at face value. M. Hagiwara, Japanese charge d' affairs in the absence of Minister Hayashi, who has gone to Japan, has requested the Korean foreign office to take action in the matter of circulars recently distributed urging an anti-Japanese rising.

SUPT. NIBECKER

ADDRESSED NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF CHARITIES.

PORTLAND, Me., June 18.—Supt. F. H. Nibecker of the House of Refuge Glen Mills, Pa., addressed the national conference of charities and correction today on the "Forward work of boarding schools for delinquents." The standing committee on "children" had charge. The best ways of teaching to be good have been learned in rounding out bad boys into first date men according to Mr. Nibecker. "The true idea of education," he said, "has nowhere been so fully exemplified as it is now in boarding schools for delinquent children."

He traced the forward movement in such schools through the names, which as years have gone by have been given to institutions of this sort. At first they were called houses of refuge. It was then considered a beautiful conception to provide a place to which the young offender might flee from the avenging law by the interposition of special legislation in his favor. Indeed some philanthropists still look upon the idea as sufficiently benevolent to retain the name, in spite of its appropriateness and of the ideas that cluster around it."

Mrs. F. F. Morse, supt. state industrial school for girls, Lancaster, Mass., spoke on the industries and methods most helpful to girls. A general discussion ensued. The women of the industrial schools held a meeting to discuss their problems. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Emma F. Bland, superintendent of the Wisconsin state industrial school for girls, Milwaukee, Wis.

Prof. Charles R. Henderson of the University of Chicago for the special committee on "Workingmen's insurance" announced that a final report will be made next year. The visitors devoted the afternoon to recreation, many of them uniting in an excursion party down Casco.

BLOOD POISONING

MEMBER OF CORNELL CREW ATTACKED.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., June 18.—Wm. Forbes, number 3 in the Cornell varsity four, was taken to Vassar hospital late last night suffering from blood poisoning, caused by a corn on one of his toes. In his practice the corn has been subjected to considerable friction. The doctor said that the blood poisoning was very slight and he thought Forbes would be able to resume his place in the crew early next week.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

FOR THE LATE GOVERNOR BOBRIKOFF.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 18.—A solemn memorial service for the late Governor Bobrikoff of Finland was held at the ministry of the interior today. Much interest is manifested here in the political results of General Bobrikoff's assassination. The newspapers continue to discuss the matter with great earnestness, with the exception of the Sevite counseling against harsh measures. The Viedomosti strongly insists that the Finnish nation should not be held responsible for the crime and that repressive measures would not only militate against the situation in Finland, but would prejudice the interests of the whole empire. The Nove Vyremu says:

"Gen. Bobrikoff's murderer belonged to a class in Finland which is always striving to create an oligarchy. The Finnish aristocracy should cease, once for all, to promote agitation, for Finland enjoys a degree of autonomy never known under Swedish rule."

A son was born June 17 to Mr. and Mrs. George Morris of North Chelmsford.

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ANOTHER BUNGLE

Murderer Given Five Shocks Before He Died

COLUMBUS, O., June 18—The electrocution of Mr. Johnson a negro murderer in the Ohio penitentiary today was almost as harrowing as that of Michael Schiller yesterday. Johnson was strapped in the chair and a first shock of 1570 volts was administered, but it failed to kill. Five shocks in all were administered before the condemned man was pronounced dead. After each shock, except the last, the attending physicians found evidence of heart action, which made the repeated applications of the electric current necessary. The prison authorities are mystified at the failure of the electric current to do its work quickly.

CHARGES MADE

FATHER SAYS HIS GIRL WAS HYPNOTIZED.

HARTFORD, Ct., June 18—Henry B. Miller of East Hartford has preferred charges to Gov. Bates of Massachusetts against Judge Bolster and Judge Williams of the Roxbury Municipal court, accusing them of failing to issue a search warrant and to secure his own personal house furnishings, which, he claims, were spirited away by his daughter, Miss Lillian A. Grover, and Mrs. Joseph B. Hamilton of 288 Dudley street, Roxbury, the latter of whom he charges with using hypnotic powers.

For 12 months, Miller claims, he has been chasing the furnishings of a six-room flat through New England.

According to his story, about a year ago Mrs. Hamilton secured a divorce in this city from her husband through the testimony, it was said, of his daughter, an intimate friend. The hearing was on three days, and some very spicy testimony was given.

Then Mr. Miller and his daughter moved to Newark, N. J. Mrs. Hamilton followed them. Mr. Miller, going away for a two weeks' business trip, returned to find all the expensive Persian rugs, hangings and antique furniture gone with the two women and no trace of anything left. He went to the furniture movers, but they, he says, were so captivated with Mrs. Hamilton that they refused to disclose whither they had shipped the goods.

He tracked them to Worcester, where he had the women arrested, but the authorities there did not hold them. Then he located them at 288 Dudley street, Boston, but when he called there he found the furniture gone. He learned that it had been sold by his daughter to one Tupper, who lives upstairs, for $100. Tupper refused to deliver the goods, displaying a bill of sale. Miller then applied to the local judges for a search warrant and to compel Tupper to surrender the goods.

Miller, who is a well known railroad man, was a personal friend of the late Chief Arthur of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. He said that he moved to New Jersey to get his daughter away from Mrs. Hamilton, who has had a strong influence over the girl for many years.

SUES PUPILS

SCHOOL TEACHER CLAIMS $10,000 DAMAGES.

SULLIVAN, Ind., June 18.—The suit brought by Miss Erline Sinclair, formerly teacher in the Buttermilk neighborhood, Cass township, against six of her former pupils, claiming $10,000 damages, has reached trial in the circuit court.

On Dec. 8, because she would not outline what she proposed doing with reference to a "treat," she was seized in her schoolroom by her pupils, dragged to a nearby pond, and after breaking the ice she was ducked in the water, fastened to a trough and left in the icy waters until she was rescued by the neighbors. The exposure nearly killed the young woman, and for months she was nervously prostrated.

Much difficulty was had in impaneling a jury owing to the widespread interest attached to the case.

Cass township, where the outrage occurred, is having a holiday, its citizens crowding the courtroom to the doors. A strong array of legal counsel has been retained by both sides. Many witnesses will be examined and the trial will last a week or more.

PIPER INDICTED

CHARGED WITH MAKING FALSE ENTRIES IN BANK'S BOOKS.

OSSIPEE, N. H., June 18.—The superior court grand jury for Carrol county has returned an indictment of four counts against Carrol D. Piper, former assistant cashier of the Wolfeboro Loan and Trust Co. ,of Wolfboro. The indictment alleges that Young Piper made false entries in the books of the institution. The Wolfboro Loan and Banking company was closed by the state bank commissioners on February 10 last and subsequently an assignee, James E. French of Moultonborough, was appointed by the courts. It developed that former Senator Chas. F. Piper was short in his accounts as cashier to the amount of $60,000. His son Carroll was arrested, but as the father was dying of a brain disease no criminal action was taken against him. Cashier Piper died on April 21.

BROKE CAMP

FIRST BRIGADE HAD A SUCCESSFUL WEEK.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Mass., June 18.—The first brigade M. V. M. broke camp early today after one of the most successful tours of duty. As most of the other Massachusetts regiments will participate in the war manoeuvres under government auspices at Manassas, Va., in the fall, the camp grounds here will not be occupied again until Major Prinz comes with the cavalry battalion in July.

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SICKENING TALES

Of New York Horror Told by Steamer Officials

NEW YORK, June 18.—A diver who today renewed the search for victims of the steamer General Slocum disaster found a deep hole in the bed of the river near the foot of the sloping lawn on North Brothers island, where the bodies of the first victims were laid last Wednesday, which was practically filled with bodies. Within an hour after the search was begun eight bodies had been brought to the surface and when he was forced to abandon work for a time because of the swift current he said that between 30 and 50 bodies still remained in the hole.

One of the bodies taken from the water today was that of a woman wrapped or entangled in a large American flag. After the lapse of three days since the disaster, the most carefully collected data shows that 568 bodies have been recovered up to this time.

INSPECTOR LUNDBERG

DECLINED TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Gen. Uhler of Washington, supervising inspector general of steamboats, Collector Stranahan, Gen. Clarkson, the surveyor of the port and local supervising inspectors, Rodie and Dumont, had a conference yesterday afternoon and arranged for the inquiry into the Slocum disaster which has been ordered by Secretary Cortelyou.

The conference was secret but it was learned that the character of the life preservers and fire equipment of the Slocum received lengthy consideration. Collector Stranahan asked Gen. Dumont to produce Inspector Lundberg, who had certified to the satisfactory equipment of the vessel. Gen. Dumont said that Lundberg was then appearing before Coroner Berry but would be produced later as a witness.

When Inspector Lundberg appeared before Coroner Berry he was accompanied by counsel. The coroner asked him several questions about his work which he answered.

"When did you last inspect the Slocum?" asked Coroner Berry.

"I decline to answer that question by advice of counsel."

"On what grounds?" asked the coroner.

"On the grounds that it might tend to incriminate me," responded the inspector.

MATE CORCORAN

TELLS HIS STORY OF THE DISASTER.

NEW YORK, June 18—Several witnesses were examined by Coroner Berry last night including Second Mate James Corcoran, of the Slocum. Corcoran said that Chief Engineer Conklin was among the first to hurry off the vessel to a tug. In telling his story Corcoran said:

"The fire started in a room for storing oils. The machinery oils, kerosene and benzine used were kept there and the lamps filled in it. No one knows how the fire started, but it is beleved a lighted lamp left there so the men could see to use the room exploded. A boy saw the fire and told a deck hand. He and others rushed to the room to fight the fire. I saw from the first that there was no chance for the steamer. Fire swept from bow to stern so rapidly that before the upper deck was afire the flames had attacked everything on the lower deck. We all fought as long as we could stand the heat. Then the others and I tried to run to the upper deck but the gangways were so crowded that we had no chance to get out at all. Then we tried to get life preservers for the women and children. A sigat I saw on the boat, I'll remember for a long time I guess. I saw a woman give birth to a child and then jump overboard with the new born babe. They both died. I could not get to her the crowd was so great and she had no help at all—people were crazy. The fire was all round her and she picked up her babe in her arms, wrapped a piece of her clothing about it and sick and frightened as she was, looked about for a way to escape. There was none. It took only a moment for her to realize this. Then she climbed on the railing and leaped into the water."

Continuing, Corcoran said:

"The chief engineer (Conklin) was not at his post at the time of the fire. He was one of the very first to leave the boat. Conklin did not get the soles of his shoes wet, for he boarded the first tug that came alongside or anywhere near.

"Captain Van Schaick did well, whatever anyone says. He and Second Engineer Everett Brandow worked hard until the end. Brandow helped people till he was just about to be entirely surrounded by flames. He put on full steam before leaving the engine, so that whoever happened to be at the wheel could use the steam as long as it lasted.

"The fire started when we were opposite 105th street. The captain tried to put in at Fort Morris, but he was afraid the gas tank there might explode from the flames so he kept on to North Brother."

VICTIMS BURIED

SUCCESSION OF FUNERALS IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, June 18.—More than 56 hours after the smouldering wreck of the big excursion steamer General Slocum had sunk off Hunts Point, in the East river, the full extent of the disaster to the St. Mark's Lutheran Sunday school picknickers had not been learned. Out of near 1600 pleasure seeking women and children who boarded the steamer Wednesday morning, the bodies of 568 have been recovered while more than 300 others are in the list of missing and the search for them is continued along the shores and on the islands of the East river, while divers regularly relieve each other in the sunken hulk and whereever under the water there seems a possibility of finding any victims of the disaster. A diver today discovered in the river bottom near where the steamer was beached and fully two miles from where the wreck now lies, in a hole, more than 30 bodies closely packed.

Throughout the day there was a succession of funerals, in many cases several coffins being carried by a single hearse, all wending their way across the big bridge to the Lutheran cemetery on Long Island, where nearly all will be given a last resting place.

The relief fund will have a large addition from the city treasury. A resolution for the issuance of $50,000 in bonds for the succor of the families of the victims of the accident, introduced today, was unacted upon only because of the absence of the required number of aldermen to pass such a resolution. Mayor McClellan today authorized the police commissioner to contract with a wrecking company to raise the hull of the Slocum thereby ending the dispute which had arisen between the underwriters in charge of the wreck and the wreckers. Work will be started at once and it is believed many more bodies will be recovered. At the same time the district attorney hopes to learn more definitely whether there was culpable negligence on the part of the owners or the crew of the vessel.

ESTIMATED AT 33

NUMBER OF MISSING IN STEAMBOAT DISASTER.

NEW YORK, June 18.—Based on the same data the list of missing today was estimated at 33, while 58 victims of the disaster were in hospitals slowly recovering from injuries. Elaborate arrangements had been made by the police for the handling of the crowds that were expected to attend the many funerals in the stricken district today. Twenty-three sergeants, ten roundsmen and 400 patrolmen were detailed to attend the funerals. A force was stationed at each church. So far as could be learned plans had been made for the burial of 111 bodies from homes in the vicinity of St. Mark's church. The plans included services in 37 churches of all denominations in that neighborhood.

Considerable difficulty had been experienced by the undertakers who have contracted for the burial of the bodies in securing a sufficient number of hearses, and it became necessary to call upon Jersey City, Newark, Hoboken and various places in Westshire county in order to supply the demand. The scene in the stricken district today beggared description. Business was practically suspended and nearly every store was draped in black. The funerals began at an early hour and at times the streets were completely blocked and traffic of other kinds was impossible. Every church in the vicinity was filled to its capacity. Clergymen from all parts of the greater city had left their own congregations and come down to the bereaved district to do what they could to give spiritual consolation to the afflicted.

YALE CREW'S PRACTICE.

GALES FERRY, Conn., June 18.—The Yale varsity crew will probably be sent over the four mile course against time this evening so the morning work was light. The crew paddled about a mile up stream to Allyens point and back at a low stroke 26 or 28. Most of the crew are trained down to a fine point and while the coaches do not say that they are overtrained it is not expected that there will be many hard time trials after tonight. The four-oar started down stream but found the water rough and returned to the float, after reaching the navyyard. The freshmen took a long walk in place of the usual morning practice.

BOND ISSUE.

LONDON, June 18.—A dispatch to the General News from Tokio announces that the total subscription to the second issue of exchequer bonds ($50,000,000) amounted to $160,246,762.

The bonds are issued at 92, bear 5 per cent. interest and are to run for seven years.

ACTED WITHOUT AUTHORITY.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., June 18—Irving Howbert, vice president Frank G. Peck, secretary treasurer and Thomas F. Burns, constituting a majority of the directorship of Portland Gold Company have given out a statement disapproving of president Burns action in bringing suit for damages against Governor Peabody for the closing down of the Portland property by the militia. They say he acted without the authority of the board of directors.

CAR OVERTURNED

MARQUIS WAS FATALLY INJURED.

PARIS, June 18. The Marquis D' Audiffret-Pasquier, son of the Duke D'Audiffret-Pasquire, died today at Breozells as the result of a motor carriage accident. While running at a high rate of speed a tire burst and his car was overturned. The marquis was hurled in the air and sustained internal injuries. He was born in 1856.

STUDENT MISSING.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., June 18—Leonard K. Walbridge of Germantown, Pa., a junior in the academic department of Yale has been missing since last Saturday. He was last seen on a trolley car that morning going in the direction of the railroad station. At that time he told a friend that he was undecided whether he would go to the Princeton-Yale baseball game or not.

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HE WILL ACCEPT

But Fairbanks Will Not Make a Fight

CHICAGO, June 18.—Politics even though it did concern a national convention was in second place today with the great majority of the delegates who were in the city and particularly with the men who came into the city this morning. The greatest number of them had just two questions to put to the hotel clerk. These were:

"Where can I check my grip?" and the other was: "How do I get out to the Derby?"

The rooms of the national committee were practically deserted save for a few clerks who were to attend to necessary work, but the members of the committee were conspicuous by their absence. Senator Scott was one of the first to put in an appearance and remained but a short time saying as he went out, "I know we decided yesterday to hold a continuous session until we finished up all of those contests and I remarked to the other members of the committee: 'I don't suppose any of you gentlemen are aware that there will be a big horse race in this town tomorrow?'

"I don't know whether they knew it before I told them, but they knew it today and it would be somewhat difficult to obtain a quorum if we had any business late this afternoon."

Congressman James A. Hemenway of Indiana made the most specific statement this morning that has yet been made regarding the desires of Senator Fairbanks for the vice-presidency. "He will take the position," said Congressman Hemenway, "but he will not ask for, nor will he express a desire for it. He does not think that there should be a scramble for the office and he will only say that he will accept it after he has been elected for it."

"Does that mean that when the roll of states is called for the presentation of candidates for the vice-president that Indiana will not present the name of Senator Fairbanks?"

"It means exactly that," said the congressman.

"Indiana will not present the name of Senator Fairbanks or any other man, according to the present program. If the senator is elected he will take the place and that is all, and I might as well add right here that all attempts to get him to make a statement will be fruitless. He will say nothing either one way or the other. But if the republican party desires to have him in the second place on the ticket he will accept it after he has been chosen for the place. That is as far as he will go and that is as far as Indiana will go in pushing his candidacy. Of course, the state takes its cue from the attitude of the senator and the situation I have described will continue until some one is nominated for vice-president.

CARNEGIE LIBRARY DEDICATED.

NEEDHAM, June 18—A new public library here—the gift of Andrew Carnegie was formally dedicated today. Lieut. Governor Curtis Guild Jr. and Congressman Samuel L. Powerss came to town for the occasion and were the guests of Wm. Carter the donor of the site upon which the library stands. Geo. Kellard, chairman of the library trustees, Lieut. Governor Guild and Congressman Powers made addresses. The library building is constructed of large buffet brick with a granite base and terra cotta trimmings. The cost of the structure was $18,000.

NEW CUNARD LINER.

NEW YORK, June 18—The new Cunard Line steamer Pannonia arrived here today, on her first voyage. She sailed from Trieste, Fiume, Palermo and Gibraltar in the company's Mediterranean service and brought 769 steerage passengers. The Pannonia was built at Clyde Bank, Scotland. She has accommodations for 138 cabin and 868 steerage passengers.

Startling Evidence.
Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds to be unequaled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bentorville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by F. C. Goodale, Druggist, 217 Central street, Lowell. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c. and $1.00.

SULTAN AGREES

Will Grant Demands of Bandit Leader

WASHINGTON, June 18.—A cablegram, received at the state department from Consul Gummere at Tangier, in confirming the press report that the sultan has agreed to all of Raisulo's terms, adds that the money ransom, $55,000, was to be paid over today. Mr. Gummere expressed grave doubt as to the advisability of making this payment before Perdicaris and Varley were actually released and safely returned to Tangier. It is feared that once he has the money in hand Raisuli will make fresh demands.

FILIPINO DELEGATES

RECEIVED A WELCOME TO BRIDGEPORT.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., June 18.—The board of Philippine commissioners, which is making a tour of the principal cities of the United States, arrived here at 10.30 today. They were accompanied by a committee of the board of trade which went to New York to meet them last night and were welcomed at the railroad station by a salute of 21 guns. Automobiles were in waiting and conveyed the entire party about the city for an inspection of the factories.

This afternoon from 4 to 6 there will be a reception at the public library and this evening an elaborate banquet will be served at which Governor Chamberlain, President Hadley of Yale, Congressmen N. D. Sperry, E. Stevens, Henry and E. G. Hill, Mayor Dennis Mulvill, Col. J. S. Pettit, Captain J. R. M. Taylor, Major J. Biddle Porter and Fred E. Nose, president of the Bridgeport board of trade, will speak.

GONE TO CHICAGO.

PORTLAND, Me., June 18.—The Maine delegation to the republican national convention left today for Chicago. Col. F. E. Boothby of this city is chairman. The party included Governor John F. Hill, Hon. John M. Sampson of Bangor, chairman of the republican state convention, Hon. E. Riley, Rumford Falls, Ernest M. Goodall, Sanford and Woodbury K. Dana, Westbrook.

FAREWELL BANQUET.

LISBON, June 18—Minister of foreign affairs Lima and marine minister Gorjao gave a farewell banquet last night in honor of the American fleet. The banquet was attended by Admiral Barker and his staff, the captains of the American vessels, American minister Bryan and the Portuguese admirals and captains. The fleet will sail today for Gibraltar en route for Athens.

RHODE ISLAND DELEGATES.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., June 18.—Rhode Island's delegation to the national republican convention at Chicago left here today for New Haven, where their special car was attached to the train bearing the Connecticut delegates, thence to its final destination via the Penna. lines.

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IN THE PULPITS

Services at the Protestant Churches

WERE VERY LARGELY ATTENDED YESTERDAY

Preachers Chose Timely Sermon Subjects

The services at all the churches yesterday were largely attended and as a whole the sermon subjects were well chosen and interesting.

At the Central M. E. church Rev. Mr. Shenk found his inspiration in Gen. 11.32: 'And Terah died in Haran." "Unrealized Ideals" was his theme and he said in part:

"Ideals are the visions of our better selves and possibilities. We see them as angels walking in a glory haze before us. We pursue them and the more rapidly we run the steeper grows the road, and more distant appear the advancing angels and more bewildering the glory. But although we never overtake our ideals yet we grow like the angels we pursue till a like glory gathers around us; till we become strong of foot; till our purposes are set like flint, and many of the noble things of life have become concrete possessions—provided we fall not. It is a passing from glory to glory, where God lifts the angel in us and leads us on before, Himself being the infinite goal.

"We are likely to call Haran a wayside grave, but in God's sight it was not such. We plan, but are our plans in accordance with the Divine purpose? We see beautiful prospects before us, but will these things attained give us the mental and moral fibre that God wants us to have? We have planned an easy road. But God wants us to grow in strength and we cannot do that without a struggle. So He puts us where we have to toil and fight, and endure disappointments and be cast down, till the charring ends of a purely earthly life are weaned away and we are made to set our heart on things above, where the spirit need never to know failure, or love to lose its home; where God makes us truly to grow after a Divine pattern when we have been torn away from the things that would bind us to the earth. A few must needs thus toil, and endure in order to develop feet that will walk Heavenly paths; if we must be perplexed as to our way so to finally choose Divine guidance; if we must lose earthly possessions if we but gain an imperishable kingdom among things good and beautiful and true—

"'Blest be the tempest, kind the storm
That drives us nearer home'."

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH.

At St. Paul's M. E. chur c,hSunday morning, the pastor, Rev. George B. Dean preached a simple and very practical sermon finding his text in 1 Cor. xv, 58, "Therefore my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord." He said in part:

Had Paul written in the spirit of today, it seems that he would have said: "Abound in the work of the Lord from September to June."

It might seem desirable to close the church during the summer if all the people went away for their vacation at the same time. But they are continually going and coming, and many remain at home all summer. Besides there are many strangers in the city, some of whom find their way into the open churches.

We should not enter upon the vacation season in the spirit of the little child who closed her evening prayer with the words "Goodbye God, good bye, Jesus, I'm going to Boston tomorrow." It is "the most stupendous folly" to abandon one's self to physical enjoyment, in the reckless way characteristic of our vacation season.

The person who is "steadfast" will be strong, courageous, patient, unmovable in the midst of the hurly-burly around him.

Do not on the other han dbe "too religious" when away on a vacation, too conspicuous with your religious views, your willingness to argue.

Take the Apostles' creed with you, which is all the doctrine you need and simply live as a child of God.

Some people there are, who, though they remain in the city, absent themselves from church and close the blinds of their houses.

Whether at home or away, remember that recreation is only work turned into play; and we shall be stronger for exercising ourselves spiritually as well as physically.

GIRLS SMOKING CIGARETTES.

Children's day exercises were held at the Paige Street Free Baptist church yesterday. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion by John Perry, Jr., and his Sunday school class. The pastor, Rev. D. B. Martin, preached to the children and spoke in part as follows: "The prophet Daniel was made a prisoner of war, early in life, and was removed from his native land to the country of the Assyrians, and he was subjected to all the hardships that were common to such but he forged his way to the first place in the kingdom. Daniel had a purpose in life, and all young people who would succeed must have a purpose in these days. One gets no farther in life, than he has a purpose to go. I'd like to take every boy and girl in the land, and start them on the road that would bring them to success and honor. Daniel's purpose was the all-absorbing power of his life. The things in life that seem such great difficulties, are often stepping stones to something higher.

"It is necessary for one to keep himself pure in body and mind, in order to attain success. No man or woman can succeed who makes use of strong drink. We see bodies blighted with the curse of strong drink. There is another form of deflement among both boys and girls, caused by the use of cigarettes. I am sorry to say some girls as well as boys defile themselves with cigarettes, and it is done right here in Lowell. I challenge you to produce a boy or girl who uses cigarettes, and stands at the head of his or her class. Care should be exercised that the mind and souls are not defiled by reading books that fill the mind with unholy suggestions. If I had my way, I would burn half the books in the public libraries Then there is a worse class of books, not found in our libraries. You never can succeed if your mind is contaminated. Read only good pure books. There is no excuse in any condition of circumstances to do wrong. Young people sometimes say, 'I want and have to do as others do.' The king of Assyria set wine before Daniel and commanded him to drink. Daniel refused. Don't be laughed out of doing right. Stand up and do what you know to be right. Daniel's purpose to abstain from deflement won success for him after a time."

The following boys and girls were awarded diplomas from the various grades:

Intermediate—Hazen Stevens, Edith Sanders, Margaret Breckinridge, Edna Osborne, Bernice Libby, Esther Garrick, Charlie Evans, Earl Gray, Hazel Hood.

Junior Class—Wesley E. Howard, Frederick D. Garrick, Arthur Curtis, Harry C. Dugget, Paul R. Gray, Frederick Leary.

Senior Class—Viola Inez Marshall, Alice Margery Barton, Georgia Sherburn Libby.

HIGHLAND CONG. CHRURCH.

At the Highland Congregational church last evening the pastor Rev. T. Clayton Welles, spoke upon amusements. He said that the impulse to laugh and play was a part of human nature and was not to be despised or repressed unduly. Amusement marks a healthy exercise of the faculties and tendencies with which we are endowed and there is inherently no more sin in a hearty laugh than in a hearty meal. aMny people give too little attention to right, healthful, helpful kinds of relaxation. But sometimes amusements are carried so far, that they cease to be recreation, and become the chief business, concern and passion of life. They then become harmful and poisonous. If they prove a weariness instead of a rest, if they unfit you for the best performance of duty, if they tax your time or purse too heavily, if they assume too great prominence in your thoughts and plans, if they lower your ideals, or go against your conscience, then they are to be discarded and avoided, as your worst enemy.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH.

The audiences at the Immanuel Baptist church at both the morning and evening services were large. In the morning Rev. F. M. Pickles, pastor of the Centralville M. E. church, preached in exchange with the pastor, taking for his text, the "Lord Jesus Christ" in his various manifestations. The sermon was both strong and practical and proved very interesting. In the evening the pastor spoke on "Loneliness of the Soul," showing how the soul must bear up alone in all its experiences, overcoming all the difficulties. The singing was excellent, the choir under the direction of Mr. Chas. E. Woodbury, rendering several selections and the pastor, Rev. Mr. True, singing as a solo, "My Mother's Prayer," in fine voice.

MT. VERNON F. B. CHURCH.

Children's day was observed at Mt. Vernon Free Baptist church yesterday morning and the congregation was large that gathered to listen to the little people. The decorations were elaborate and artistic. Deacon W. O. Coram is the Sunday school superintendent and Miss Mattie Stevens is superintendent of the juvenile department. Recitations were said by Gladys Barr, Earl Graham, Elsie Rowland, Alfred Barr, Lillian Abbott and "Little Soldiers." Readings were given by Dolly Rowland and Miss Edith Estabrook. Greta Cady and Earl Graham sang solos and there were duets by Marion Mochrie and Marion Clark, also by Gaidys Flanders and Isabel Gillespie. The entire primary department, Miss Peirce's class, and a quartet of small girls appeared in musical selections.

Remarks were made by H. L. Makechnie of Malden, who is a member of a Sunday school numbering 1200, with an average attendance of 800. Mr. Makechnie complimented the children of the Mt. Vernon Sunday school upon the excellence of the concert program. "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," sung by the congregation, closed the service.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.

The Sunday services at the Gorham Street Primitive Methodist church were held in observance of Flag Sunday in the morning and children's day concert in the evening. The decorations were beautiful.

The large auditorium was filled with members of the parish, G. A. R., Women's Relief Corps and friends for the morning patriotic service, the relief corps participating. Mrs. Josie Powers MacDonald sang "My Own United States," and Miss Gertrude Huntley read a history of the flag. "The Star Spangled Banner" was sung antiphonally by the senior and the junior choirs. A quartet, composed of Mrs. Wilbur McCready, Miss Orpha A. Sutcliffe, Herbert Beaumont, and Samuel Asquith sang. A short sermon on "Our Country and Flag," by Rev. N. W. Matthews was followed by a beautiful vocal solo by Miss Alice Leith. The service closed with a rendition of the hymn "My Country I Love Thee," and benediction by the pastor.

A feature of the morning service was the baptism of the following children: Lurned J., and Alice B. Marshall of Methuen, Flora Milner Long, Chester C. Heany, William Howard Heaney, Ida M. Boughton and Charles R. Goldfield.

SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

FAVORED BY CHICAGO FEDERATION OF LABOR.

CHICAGO Ill June 20—By the endorsement of a new clause in its constitution the Chicago federation of labor has committed itself to the sympathetic strike.

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Passengers Crushed Against the Seats

PLYMOUTH, N. H., June 20.—One person was killed and a number injured by an accident to a passenger coach train bound from North Woodstock for Plymouth on the Pemigewasset valley branch of the Boston and Maine system. The accident occurred just after 7 o'clock today at a bridge over the Pemigewasset river near Campton village, 10 miles from here. The train was a mixed one and carried several cars of lumber. When the train was passing over number 4 bridge, the running gear of the passenger coach became disabled and the wheels left the rails bringing the train to a sudden stop. A car of lumber which was next to the passenger car, partially telescoped the latter and crushed a number of passengers against the set backs and sides of the coach. The train, however, did not fall over the bridge and the damage was mainly confined to the car in which the accident occurred. A dispatch was sent to Plymouth for assistance and at 8.55 a. m. a secial train carrying all the physicians in town started for Campton. It was the intention of the railroad officials to bring the injured here. Arrangements were made to transfer passengers and baggage around the scene of the accident.

FIREMEN IN PERIL

Twenty of Them Had Narrow Escapes

NEW YORK, June 20—Twenty firemen had narrow escapes from death early today in a fire in a six story brick building on Grand street, the fifth and sixth floors of which are occupied by manufacturers of tortoise shell pins. Six men who had taken up a station on the fire escape at the sixth floor and 14 in an archway leading to the top floor of the burning building to an adjoining structure were cut off by the flames when the big stream from a water tower failed because of trouble in a stand pipe. The men were surrounded by flames and their position was a most perilous one when the interrupted stream was again put in service. All of the men were more or less scorched but none wes seriously injured.

The fire was checked after the building had been damaged to the extent of $10,000.

AUTO SPEEDERS

Were Again Held up by Officer Conway

Chief of Police Martin Conway, Jr., of the town of Billerica, is determined to stop the speeding of automobiles through the town which is under his care. The newly macadamized road from the common in the centre of the town to the railroad tracks at Bennett hall station is a rare strip of road for chauffeurs, and it is very tempting to the man who is handling the lever to open it wide and put on full speed while traveling down this hill. During the past month numerous complaints have been made by the residents of the town at the rate of speed that autos have been going over this road and Chief Conway decided that he would do his best to stop the nuisance and keep the speeders down to the regulation of ten miles an hour.

Sunday has been the day when the most complaints have been entered and two weeks ago yesterday Chief Conway with the assistance of several timers stopped five men for fast motoring and yesterday succeeded in landing two in his net. The offenders yesterday were Dr. H. P. Perkins of West Newton and William E. Walsh of this city, and they will appear in court tomorrow morning.

The chief of the town and his men were stationed on the Howe school hill, the same place which was occupied two weeks ago. Dr. Perkins was the first man who it is alleged exceeded the speed limit of ten miles an hour. His time was caught by Chief Conway and was set at 19 miles an hour. When Mr. Conway told the doctor that he was exceeding the time limit the doctor replied that he was making a call on one of his patients in Lowell and thought he had a right to go as fast as he wished. After considerable talk he was notified to appear in court in Lowell tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The doctor tried to evade appearing by stating that he had an engagement for every day during the week. When he was finally threatened with arrest, however, he said that he would appear.

William E. Walsh, of this city, was the other man, and it is claimed that he was speeding over twenty miles an hour. Mr. Walsh said he would appear.

INTERESTING PAPERS

READ AT THE CHARITIES CONFERENCE.

PORTLAND, Me., June 20.—The sixth day of the National conference of charities and correction opened without any apparent decrease in the attendance of delegates, visitors or local people. Amen session was held the standing committee on "State supervision and administration" in charge. The state's responsibility in the field of charities and correction was brought by the report of the committee, of which Michael J. Scanlon of New York city is chairman.

"Limits of state control and supervision of charities," was the topic of a paper by Rev. A. W. Clark of Omaha Nebraska, which supported the centralized management of public institutions and the close supervision of private charities.

TWENTIETH YEAR

Asa Pollard Lodge Celebrates Event

The twentieth anniversary of Asa Pollard lodge, No. 7741, I. O. O. F., M. U., was celebrated at Thomas Talbot memorial hall in North Billerica Saturday night. A fine repast was served and besides the members there were the families of the members in attendance, about 300 being present at the supper.

At 8.15 o'clock Noble Grand Walter Radcliffe made a speech of welcome, and after welcoming the members and guests reviewed the work of the lodge and thanked the officers and men for their good work and loyal support. The following program was carried out:

Recitation, Miss Minnie Dyson, "When Father Road the Goat"; song, "Mary of Argyle" Mr. James Ritchie; remarks, Prov. Grand Master James Smith of Lowell; song, "You're as Welcome As the Flowers in May," Miss Mary Seymore; song, "When the Sunset Turns the Ocean Blue to Gold," Mr. Charles E. Fairbrother; reading, "My First Recital," Miss Elizabeth Garner"; song, "Eliza Jane," Mr. Herbert Ellis; song, "When the Parson Preached the Word," Mr. Charles Bailey; reading, "Uncle Joe's Advice to Wed Women," Mr. Joseph Brown; phonograph selection, H. Armrod.

Seated upon the stalge were Provinsial Grand Master James W. Smith, Past P. G M. Waretzell, of Cambridge, P. G. M. George Emsley of Lowell, Prov. Cor. Secy. James Gregg of Lowell, Past Grands Ernest Robinson, Robert Tivey and Roger Barrington.

Under the direction of Past Grand Provincial George Emsley of Lowell, Asa Pollard lodge was organized June 19, 1902, with a membership of 34 and has grown steadily and on their second anniversary 65 members are enrolled and six applications pending.

Those in charge of the anniversary were Past Grand Robt. Tivey, chairman; Joseph Brown, secretary; Walter Radcliffe, William McBride, Herbert Ellis, J. Williams, J. Switzer, Samuel Stott, Austin Staples, Harry Ormrod, John Hawkyard, William Heyson, Walter Dyson, Oscar Spencer, P. G. Ernest Robinson, John Radcliffe, George Jaffcock, William Buckley, James Swansen, Charles Walker, Christopher Walker, Thomas Chrisholm and Chas. Hurst.

Those in charge of the banquet were William McBride, chairman, Miss Williams, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. John Hawkyard, Miss M. H. Brown, Miss Annie Pickard, Miss Tillie Barrington, Miss Mary Seymour, Miss Orson Miner, and Mrs. Thomas Seymour.

After the entertainment the floor was cleared for dancing, Stolt's orchestra furnished the music.

Everything up to date at O'Donnell's stables.

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For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

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Corrected to June 6, 1904. Trains leave Merrimack street depot, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.43, 6.52, x6.45, 7.40, *8.50, 9.22, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, 4.25, x5.44 p. m. SUNDAYS 8.45 a. m.

Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.28, *6.39, x6.49, w6.50, 7.01, 7.24, 7.31, *7.48, x7.52, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, 9.33, w10.50, 11.05, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, w3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, *6.12, w5.15, 7.00; *7.29, w9.16 p. m.; SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.21, 8.15, 8.48, 9.20 a. m.; w12.10, 3.25, w3.55, 5.29, w5.30, w8.46 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, w5.05, w5.15, w7.00, w9.15, qw11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 7.00, 9.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 3.55, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.28, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, 12.30, 33.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.00, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 3.00 p. m., until Sept. 9, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.05 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30 p. m.

For Waterville, Rockland and way stations, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10 to Lewiston only, 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, and way stations, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 train does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

For Woburn 6.28, 7.04, 7.31, *7.48, 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.28 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 3.25, 5.29 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.31, 7.48, 9.33, 11.05 a. m., 1.44, 1.56, 4.28, 5.22 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.27, 8.45, 9.20 a. m.; 3.25, 5.29 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 6.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 4.07, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 to Hillsboro, 4.07 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.39, 9.03, *9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 12.09, 1.00, *1.10, 3.40, 4.07, 5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, 12.23 (Nashua only) a. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, 8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.39, 9.39 a. m.; 12.00, 5.39, *b8.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.30 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River, 10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal, via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m., *12.09, *b8.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.39 a. m.; *b9.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *b9.10 p. m.

References—
‡ via Wakefield Junction.
* Express. b Daily.
q Wednesdays and Saturdays only.
w Via Western Division.
x Via Bedford. z Via Wilmington Junction.

D. J. FLANDERS, Gen. Pass. and Ticket Agent.
H. C. TAIPT, General Agent, Lowell.

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PRACTICAL DRESSMAKER—Miss M. W. Taylor solicits your patronage, 17 Caddell Avenue, Crescent st., off Chelmsford st.

DAVID HUNTLEY wishes to announce to his friends and patrons that he has opened up a bakery store at 1030 Gorham st. with a fresh supply of pies, cake, bread and pastry every day, wedding cakes made to order.

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NOTICE—We have just received a large lot of teas, English Breakfast, Assam, Ceylon, Oolong and Japan from London, England. They are of the finest quality, also we are giving $8.00 worth of any kind of trading stamps with one pound of our 60c Tea, $6.00 worth with our 50c Tea, $2.00 worth with our 30c Coffee, $3.00 worth with our 35c Coffee. The Elwood Tea Co., Davis Sq.

THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary K Donnelly alias Mary K. Donley late of Lowell in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Michael Donnelly, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-first day of June A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

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DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to salaried people, merchants, boarding house kepers, teamsters, etc. Easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city. Confidential; no publicity; no delay. Special inducements for quick payments. Private office. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott St., room 5, Lowell, Mass.

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FOR SALE—30 acre farm near Lowell, $500; hard wood lot, nine room house built in 1898 cost $1550, good barn, 100 ft. hen house, price $1500. Gagnon 173 Merrimack st., Lowell.

HOME FOR SALE IN THE HIGHLANDS—House and barn 37 Dover st. A two and a half story slated roof house with 8 large rooms, also wash room with set tubs, hot and cold water, pantry, bath room and large storage room. Furnace heat. Stable for two horses, good carriage room. Plenty of fruit trees, sixty-six hundred feet of land. Property in good repair. Call at 278 Branch st., cor. of Dover.

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WANTED

WANTED—A small store, suitable for fruit, dry goods, in good location, stocked or vacated. Address M. J. B., Sun Office.

WANTED—By neat American woman day and hour work, best of references. Call 5 Fernald st.

WANTED—A chance to place a baby in the country and in a good family. Inquire at this office.

WANTED—Children to board in country, desirable home, terms reasonable. Address Box 163, Billerica Centre.

WANTED—Children to board at 457 Lakeview Ave.

CASH PAID for second-hand furniture, also sold and exchanged. Bornstein & Quinn, 118-120 Gorham street.

QUINCY HOUSE, 52 Lee street—Boarders wanted; three square 20c meals for 36c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

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NIGHT MAN wanted for lunch room. Apply at Merrimac house.

WANTED—We require a canvassing agent for this district. The Lorie Manufacturing Co., Lancaster, Pa.

LADIES—We pay $20 per hundred for writing short letters. Send stamped envelope for particulars. Ideal Mfg. Co., Benton Harbor, Mich.

WANTED—At once house girl at 159 Appleton st.

WANTED—Temperate farm hand. Inquire Pike, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

WANTED—Ladies as house demonstrators for articles for ladies use, Lowell and vicinity. For particulars address A, this office.

WANTED—Table girl at 213 Middlesex st.

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EXPERIENCED SALESMAN with English, French and Greek wishes to find situation. Address N. Pa., Sun Office.

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LADIES—A most satisfactory summer dessert is "Dainty Desserts." Makes delicious puddings by simply adding pure milk. Flavoring if desired. No baking—prepared in a moment's time. Send 10c for full size package, also our booklet entitled "Some Ideas for Desserts." Leopold Anderson Co., Campello, Mass.

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SHWARTZ SHOE REPAIRING CO.—We have leased the entire building, cor. Market and Palmer st. and will do all kinds of shoe repairing quick and neatly done. O'Sullivan, Foster, Velvet heels 35c. We also make a specialty of all kinds of cripple and deformed shoes.

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LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—One two year old black and white heifer and one brindle. Owner can have at 638 Mammoth Road.

LOST—Bank book and sum of money. Finder please return to Sun Office and receive reward.

LOST—A black, brown and white Shepherd puppy Saturday. Finder reward at J. H. Storey's Tyler Park.

LOST—Black and tan hound, name on collar Frank Willett. Return to 325 Worthen st., and receive reward.

LOST—Gentleman's plain gold band ring, owner's name inside. Liberal reward if returned to 909 Middlesex st.

FOUND—Pocketbook containing a small sum of money, owner can have by calling at 6 Brown's Court, off Marshall st. and proving property.

LOST—Black and tan hound, name on collar Frank Willett. Return to 323 Worthen st. and receive reward.

LOST—A pin. L. H. C. The finder will please return to Grant Jewelry Store.

LOST—A great deal of time is lost hunting for a tenant or a tenement. Advertise in The Sun and save time.

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FOR SALE—First class steamer trunk for sale cheap, H. Hill, 61 Tyler st., between 6 and 8.

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FOR SALE—Cheap a number of first class wall brackets. Call at 84 Ford st. John Leath.

FOR SALE—Beer pump and water pressure for bar room. Call 32 Sargent st.

FOR SALE—New Cheese 10c pound; Leg Mutton, 10c pound; Forequarters Mutton, 5c pound, New Potatoes, 5c qt.; New Wax Beans, 5c qt.; Fresh Fowl, 12½c pound. Pike's Market, Cor Middlesex and Howard sts.

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TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms, bath and pantry, hot and cold water, rent $12. a month. Inquire 37 Smith st.

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TO LET—Tenement to rent of 3 rooms down stairs. Address 32 Franklin st.

TO RENT—5 room furnished cottage at So. Wilfleld, Cape Cod Mass., near beach, also boating and fishing.

TO LET—Old established Chinese laundry. Inquire Pike, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

TO LET—A good tenement, Liberty Square, low rent. Pike's, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

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TO LET—Furnished and unfurnished rooms, steam heat and bath at 548 Fletcher st.

TO LET—Cottage house of five rooms in Batchelder Place, off Walker st. Key at cottage near by. Wm. A. Read, 223 Liberty st.

TO LET—A few extra clean, tidy tenements to rent in very best repair. We can give you three, four, five, six or nine rooms at prices ranging from $5.50 to $16.00 per month and you can have your choice of several locations. Call and see us, T. H. Elliott, 64 Central st.

TO LET AT HAMPTON BEACH—Rooms at reasonable rates in a very desirable cottage. Special rates for the month of June. Address A. D. Winslow, Hampton Beach, N. H.

TO LET—A seaside cottage of seven furnished rooms, good fishing and boating, at South Wellfleet, Mass. Apply to Miss H. F. Trueworthy, 17 Wachusett st, off Thirteenth st. Lowell.

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TO LET—Very pleasant front and two side rooms with bath, reasonable. 271 Gorham st. opposite Court house.

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TO LET—A first class boarding house in good repair, all furnished with curtains, 21 rooms 512 Central street. Inquire 34 Jackson or 795 Bridge street.

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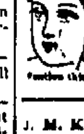

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MEATS AND PROVISIONS.

INFIELD ERRORS

Lost Game for Lowell on Saturday

THOUGH DAY PITCHED A GOOD GAME

Connie Murphy Fined Heavily and Suspended

Poor Billie Day lost another game at Haverhill, Saturday and once more it was not his fault. He kept Haverhill down to seven hits but Lowell made errors at critical stages and the earned runs were even. Lowell's infield played snappy ball at times making four double plays.

C. Murphy did not play in the game between Haverhill and Lowell here Saturday afternoon, although he was at the grounds in uniform, as Manager Hamilton Saturday morning received a telegram from President Murnane indefinitely suspending Murphy and imposing a fine of $100 for the trouble at Concord, N. H., Friday.

After the announcement of the suspension, President Carrigg of the local baseball association and Manager Hamilton conferred with President Murnane and Secretary Morse of the New England League by the telephone and they learned that the suspension and fine were based upon the Concord version of the affair between Murphy and Umpire Kerins.

Manager Hamilton claims that the story of the trouble was exaggerated and says that if Murphy was culpable, Umpire Kerins was equally to blame.

The statement of the Haverhill payers is that Umpire Kerins after ordering Murphy off the grounds Friday at Concord invited Murphy to meet him at his dressing room outside the grounds after the game, and they claim when Murphy went there Kerins struck the first blow and used his spiked shoe upon Murphy, inflicting a scalp wound.

Manager Hamilton informed President Murnane and Secretary Morse of the Haverhill side of the affair. The two officials promised to investigate, and if the story was substantially true to remit the fine of $100 imposed upon Murphy, and to suspend him for a brief period, and also to include Umpire Kerins in the suspension.

HAVERHILL.

	bh	po	a	e
Hamilton cf	1	5	0	0
Hollis 1b	0	8	1	0
Calhoun ss	1	4	5	1
Wallace rf	1	1	0	0
Raftery lf	1	2	0	0
Wiley c	1	3	1	0
T. Murphy 2b	0	2	3	1
J. Murphy 3b	1	2	0	1
McGinley p	1	0	1	0
Totals	7	27	11	2

LOWELL.

	bh	po	a	e
Connors 3b	1	1	2	2
Grant cf	0	1	0	0
Biglin lf	0	1	0	0
Hickey 2b	1	2	4	1
Lake 1b	2	13	0	0
McLaughlin ss	0	3	5	1
Burbage rf	1	1	0	0
McGovern c	1	2	0	0
Day p	1	2	0	0
Totals	6	24	15	4

Score by innings:

Haverhill	0 0 1 2 1 0 0 0 x—4
Lowell	0 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—2

Runs made—By Wallace, Raftery, J. Murphy, McGinley, Hickey, McGovern. Earned runs—Haverhill 2, Lowell 2. Two base hits—Wallace, Raftery, Hickey. Stolen bases—Wiley, Hickey. Sacrifice hits—Hamilton, McLaughlin, Day. Double plays—Calhoun and Hollis, McLaughlin, Hickey and Lake; Hickey and Lake; McLaughlin and Lake 2. First base on balls—Off McGinley, off Day. Struck out—By McGinley 3, by Day 3. Passed ball—Wiley. Time—1.24. Umpire—Riva. Attendance—1525.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Fall River 4, Manchester 1	1700
Lawrence 13, Nashua 6	1500
Concord 4, New Bedford 2	1000
Haverhill 4, Lowell 2	1525

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Boston 17, Chicago 13, 11 innings	12,850
Cleveland 8, Washington 4	4140
Detroit 7, Philadelphia 3	5000
New York-St. Louis, rain.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Attendance
Boston 7, Philadelphia	2,935
New York 5, Brooklyn 1	15,000
Chicago 4, Cincinnati 1	7,496
St. Louis 10, Pittsburg 5	10,005

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GAMES TODAY.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Lowell at Haverhill; Lawrence at Nashua; Manchester at Fall River; Concord at New Bedford.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago at Cleveland; Pittsburg at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago at Cleveland.
Washington at Philadelphia.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Nashua	24	15	.516
Haverhill	24	15	.615
Lowell	21	17	.553
Concord	21	17	.553
Manchester	19	21	.475
Fall River	18	22	.450
New Bedford	15	25	.375
Lawrence	14	24	.368

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	31	17	.667
New York	28	21	.571
Chicago	29	23	.558
Cleveland	26	21	.553
Philadelphia	26	23	.531
St. Louis	23	21	.499
Detroit	20	28	.417
Washington	9	36	.191

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	34	16	.680
Chicago	31	17	.646
Cincinnati	32	19	.628
Pittsburg	27	24	.529
St. Louis	24	25	.489
Boston	20	30	.400
Brooklyn	21	32	.396
Philadelphia	10	36	.217

SUNDAY GAME

CHICAGO DEFEATED BY BOSTON IN GOOD GAME.

CHICAGO, June 20—Boston won out in yesterday's game by bunching hits in the first inning when they counted twice. The locals put up a great fight to overcome the lead, but Tannehill held them safe at critical times. Attendance -24,500.

The score:

Boston	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—2

Runs made by Stahl, Collins. Hits—Boston 8, Chicago 7. Errors—Collins. Left on bases—Chicago 7, Boston 3. Two base hits- Davis, Isbell 2, Parent. Sacrifice hit—Freeman. Double plays—Davis, Dundon and Isbell 2. Struck out—By Altrock 1, by Tannehill 2. Bases on balls—Off Tannehill 2. Time—1.30. Umpires—Connolly and King.

BASE BALL NOTES.

It was at no time in order for the Boston monguls to criticise the scoring of the different reports on the New England league circuit. It would appear as if the league president and the league secretary were not infallible and they are subject to much criticism. Ren Mulford of Cincinnati says: Ever since the scores of ball games were transformed from mere tally sheets of the "runs" and "outs" to a tolerably fair re ord of the plays made by each individual player Utopian dreamers have dwelt upon the beautiful possibilities of uniform scoring. As long as personal opinion decides—to the satisfaction of the scorer—what constitutes a base hit or an error there can be no such thing as uniformity.

"There's one thing upon which there can be no division," remarked Frank Bancroft after a recent Boston game. "Everybody has to agree on runs."

The wide discrepancies in the scores of the first Red game at the Hub were laughable. Of four of the morning diamond statisticians no two agreed. Tim Murnane, in the "Globe" gave the Reds 13 hits and five errors, and Boston nine hits and nine errors. J. C. Morse of the "Herald," tabbed up 15 hits for Cincinnati with five errors, and nine hits and six errors for Boston. Walter Barnes of the "Journal" gave Cincinnati 14 hits and let them off with one error, while he gave Boston 12 hits and salted seven errors against them. Fred O'Connell, of the "Post," gave Cincinnati an even dozen safeties with five errors, while he credited Boston with nine hits and gave them 10 errors.

A. G. Doe is a good advertiser. All managers in this league or in any other league must take off their hats to him. That $1000 may be in real money and it may be in trading stamps, but the effect is just the same. He isn't getting the players for nothing, and he must be credited for being the Johnny on the spot where there was good picking. This bonanza was starring the whole country in the face and yet no other manager jumped to the front. He was the only one who was ready to take advantage of the opportunity. Much as Fall River dislikes the Whalers it must admire its hustling manager who is endeavoring to get a winning team. It is now up to Fall River to strengthen. The present team is not strong enough to cope with the reorganized New Bedfords if Doe gets the men he is after.—Fall River Herald.

Manchester expects two new outfielders this week.

Coombs has written Manager Lake that he will not join the team this year and as a result Lake has signed Chase.

Ye gods! Billy McGuirk is in the game again. What Billy? Why, our old Lowell Bill of course! There has only been one Billy McGuirk on earth in the past 100 years and he's the same old Bill and though for the past few years he has been gathering in car fares at Nashua he is nevertheless our Billy. He played in Thursday's game and with this record: Ab. 4, r 1, bh. 2, tb. 3, p o. 2, a 1, e 1. The Nashua Telegraph said of him on Friday:

Ever since the New England league has had a team in Nashua, it has been the desire of the fans to see Billy McGuirk in the game and Thursday Billy was there and by his work showed that he still had the goods and was as much at home with the swat stick as in days of yore when he used to gambol around the bases with the best of them. In his day, Billy was one of the best third basemen ever seen in this section, and with a little work on the diamond, he would make some of the third basemen of the league want to take to the tall timbers. He is a natural hitter, as was shown by his work Thursday. Out of four times at bat, he got two hits with a total of three, and it was through him that three runs were scored in the fourth inning.

And in its notes the Telegraph says:

Billy McGuirk is liable to get some offers from the other teams, and he wouldn't make a bad man for any team at that. He remarked to some of his friends in the stand during the game that he didn't care to sign as he had a good job at home.

The Nashua Press waxeth eloquent as follows:

Billy McGuirk, the old league favorite with the Nashua and Lowell fans of a dozen years ago, furnished the sensation at the Nashua-Fall River game yesterday by taking his old place at third base and putting it all over the members of the Nashua team in the field and at the bat, who had brought him out to make him look like "30 cents" because he expressed the opinion that he could "play as good a game as the Nashua team was playing any day and hadn't touched a ball for a dozen years at that." And Billy was as good as his word. "Doc" Collins was on to the game in the absence of Manager Carney and demanded that Billy be given a full show and at once ordered that he be put on third base in Gerry's place and be kept there through the game. The result was such a show up of the Nashua team as to make the regular team sore and all torn out before the game was over, and now they wished they had shut up and let Nashua's street railway conductor do his bragging in silence.

Billy McGuirk not only showed he was in the game by clever work in the field, tagging out Guiheen who had made a two base hit and was due home and ran into the plucky little electric car man full force, but when he went to bat he knocked out a two bagger when it was needed and brought in two runs and came in himself. The next time up he made a single and brought in another run. Thus he gave Nashua four of the six runs while the rest of the team was getting ready to win the game which was lost. Outside of McGuirk's work the game was listless and of little interest to the spectators.

Three cheers for Billy. If he ever comes to Lowell with the team the Acre lads will be out in great numbers to root for him while the "Mats" young and old, will be there to greet him.

The Nashua Press further says:

Billy McGuirk turned the tables on his tormentors.

The Nashua ball players took up the wrong man when they tried to make McGuirk look like a Pocahontas Smith player.

Wilson was sore because McGuirk went to third for yesterday's game. It was no reflection on Gerry, however. That was McGuirk's old position and when the boys offered Billy a try out Doc Collins insisted it should be in his old place. That he made good is no reflection of the good work Gerry has done through the season.

STONY BROOK LEAGUE.

At Pepperell—West Chelmsford 24, Pepperell 15.

At North Chelmsford—Unions 4, Graniteville 0.

At Middlesex—Crescents 12, Middlesex 1.

STONY BROOK STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Crescents	7	3	.700
West Chelmsford	7	4	.636
Unions	7	4	.636
Graniteville	5	6	.455
Pepperell	3	7	.300
Middlesex	2	7	.222

CRESCENTS WON

DEFEATED THE TAIL ENDERS IN ONE-SIDED GAME.

The Crescents of Lowell went to Middlesex Village Saturday afternoon and defeated the home team by a score of 12 to 1; the game was a one sided contest, the Middlesex team being outplayed in every part of the game, only two of the Middlesex players getting beyond second base. Hartnett of the Middlesex team after going into the game against doctor's orders was compelled to give away in the seventh inning to Twohey, who filled his place in a creditable manner. The Middlesex's only run was made in the first inning. Russell, the first man up made a base hit, stole second and scored on Cowdrey's two base hit.

The features of the game were the all around playing of Simmonds, the batting of Donovan, and McCarthy's pitching, striking out ten men, including striking out Russell, the first time Russell has been struck out in two years.

While Coleman of the Middlesex team pitched good ball at the start, the poor support from his fellow players made him lose confidence and at the latter part of the game he was batted quite hard. The Crescents will play the strong Pepperell team on the North common next Saturday, June 25, and as both teams are evenly matched a good game is looked for.

Time, 1 hour 55 minutes. Attendance, 400. Umpire, A. Boudreau.

CRESCENTS

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Simmons ss	4	2	3	3	4	1	0
Brigham lf	6	2	3	3	1	1	0
Phinney 1b	6	2	3	4	9	1	1
Mullen cf	3	1	0	0	0	0	1
Kearns rf	5	1	1	1	0	0	0
Murphy 3b	4	0	2	2	1	1	1
O'Brien 2b	4	0	1	1	3	0	0
Donovan c	4	3	3	3	8	3	0
McCarthy p	4	1	1	1	1	4	1
Totals	40	12	17	18	27	11	4

MIDDLESEX.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Russell 2b	4	1	1	1	3	2	1
Sheridan c	4	0	2	2	8	2	1
Cowdrey cf	4	0	2	3	4	1	0
Laporte lf	4	0	2	2	2	0	1
Boudreau rf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Coleman p	4	0	0	0	0	3	2
Harnett 3b	3	0	1	1	1	1	1
Twohey 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Pease ss	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Larkin 1b	4	0	2	2	6	0	0
Totals	36	1	11	12	*26	9	6

*Simmons out, hit by ball. First base on balls—Coleman 5, McCarthy 6. Left on bases Crescents 10, Middlesex 10. Two base hits—Cowdrey, Phinney. Struck out by Coleman 5, by McCarthy 10. Double play—Cowdrey to Russell. Passed ball—Sheridan. Hit by pitched ball—Mullen. Time—1h. 55m. Attendance—400. Umpire—A. Boudreau.

Clintons 10, Centralville Blues 3.
Pawtucket Ends 12, Boulevards 11.
Ketchup club 18, Agawams 4.
Mysteries of Dracut 26, Crimsons 22.

DUNNIGAN ELECTED PRESIDENT.

L. W. Ellingwood has resigned his position as president of the Stony Brook league to take the management of the West Chelmsford team. Mr. Ellingwood introduced himself to his team last week by giving them a complimentary banquet at Page's last Wednesday.

At a special meeting of the league Mr. Ellingwood's resignation was accepted and a vote of thanks tendered him while James W. Dunnigan, selectman and baseball authority, was elected president in his place. The election of Mr. Dunnigan will give a good boom to the Stony Brook league. He was manager of the old Unions and one of the promoters of the old Urban and Suburban league which aroused great interest in the game in this vicinity and paved the way for the N. E. league.

SHAWLIGHTS DEFEAT WAMESITS.

The Shawlight defeated the Wamesits by the score of 10 to 5 in a five inning game. Connie Keefe pitched for the Wamesits and did fairly well, but his waves and twists were found at opportune times. Tom Murphy pitched for the Shawlights had an easy time. These teams may meet again for a purse of money.

INDUSTRY WON.

The baseball teams representing Industry and Lowell 8 councils, Royal Arcanum, played an interesting game on the Arcanum grounds Saturday afternoon. Industry council won by a score of 6 to 2.

Sayboll and Flynn were the battery for Industry and Shephard and Page for Lowell Council.

LINCOLNS DEFEATED ORIENTS.

The Lincolns went to Chelmsford Saturday and defeated the Orients of that town by a score of 8 to 1. The Lincolns had their batting togs on and every man on the team made one or more hits. A large crowd of fans witnessed the game and were well satisfied with the result. As the game was for ten dollars a side and as the Orients is one of the strongest amateur teams in or around Lowell the Lincolns may well feel proud in winning by such a large margin. But for Merrill's attempt to make a grandstand play out of an easy fly to left field the game might have resulted in a whitewash for the Orients. Ed. Vaughn caught a beautiful game for the Lincolns while Bennett in the box was also in his usual form. Joe Vaughn did great stunts at third base, digging the ball from bushes and holes, and playing an all around good game. Carter and McDowell excelled at the bat for the Lincolns, their hits always being made at opportune times. The Lincolns play the Washingtons next Saturday for a purse of $20 and the Lincolns say it will be their eighth straight victory.

Mt. Groves defeated the Tigers with a score of 15 to 13 Saturday afternoon, and will challenge any team in the city under 16. Lineup: A. Kelly, c; J. Axon, p; T. Ward, 1b; R. Walde, 2b; D. Taylor, 3b; S. Clough, ss; W. Axon, lf; A. urns, cf; J. Axon, rf. They haven't lost a game yet.

The Nationals defeated the Sailors by the score of 5 to 3. This makes the 12th victory. Tuby Deprocher, the big headed boy with the big mouth, was afraid to play with a quarter ball. He was going to lick the umpire for a close decision. Dick Rogers, the boy too good to play with the Nationals, caught for the Sailors and sprained his finger. T. Keefe, who was released by the Nationals, also played with them. We would like to play any team under the age of 12 for a quarter ball or for the championship of the age of 12. Send all challenges to C. Sheehan, 101 Bourne street or through this paper. The Nationals claim the championship of the age of 12 years, having won 11 and lost none. We will play any team at the age of 12 for it if they think they got it. We would like to hear from the Young Eagles. T. Lynch is in fine form to pitch Saturday. C. Sheehan and Harry Heelon will be used against the Young Wigginvilles. We have signed J. Bradbury and F. Gokey, having released T. Keefe.-H. Cashman and E. Martin, F. Belanger is doing fine work with the stick. E. Weldon is also doing good.

CRICKET GAMES

THE MOHAIRS DEFEATED THE BROCKTONS IN CLOSE GAME.

The Mohair Cricket club defeated the Brockton team by a score of 39 to 38 on the Chelmsford street grounds Saturday afternoon. The score:

MOHAIR.

Thorpe c Keene b Orton	10
Hird b Heritage	1
Southam c Heritage b Orton	1
Priestley b Orton	0
Shaw not out	17
Moseley not out	4
Total	39

Allen, Harriman, Cooper, Waite and Greenwood to bat.

BROCKTON.

Stringer c Thorpe b Allen	1
Grimley b Allen	0
Smith c Waite b Allen	1
Orton b Thorpe	6
Williams c Thorpe b Allen	5
Sykes c Waite b Thorpe	0
Heritage c Allen b Thorpe	3
Billings c Cooper b Thorpe	3
Poole not out	12
Tuckman b Thorpe	2
Keene b Thorpe	1
Extras	5
Total	38

BUNTINGS WON.

The United States Bunting Cricket club was defeated Saturday afternoon in Everett by the Everett Cricket team by a score of 103 to 93, the winners having made their total with but five men out. The score:

BUNTINGS.

Gath c Marriot b Bartlett	14
Barber b Murray	4
West run out	3
Watson run out	26
Rowley run out	15
Patrick b Marriott	4
Burns b Marriott	9
Harley b Marriott	0
Rudden b Murray	8
Simpson not out	8
Clegg b Murray	1
Extras	5
Total	93

EVERETT.

Ainslie b Rudden	0
Kidger b Burns	1
Murray c West b Rudden	4
Bartlett not out	62
Thorpe c Simpson b Rudden	24
Bold c and b Burns	0
Marriott not out	13
Extras	9
Total for 5 wickets	103

Bunting, Smith, Graham and Calder to bat.

BILLERICA DEFEATED.

Lawrence defeated Billerica at Lawrence Saturday afternoon with seven wickets to spare. The visitors were first at bat and the best they could do against the bowling of Furneaux and Walker was 23 runs. Furneaux had 5 wickets for 7 runs, and Walker 4 for 14. McCormack was high batsman of the visitors with 8. Wainwright made 13 of Lawrence's total of 26 without being retired.

TORPEDOES ON TRACK

STREET RAILWAY COMPANY WILL MAKE EFFORT TO STOP IT.

The officials of the local division of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co. will make special efforts to stop the placing of torpedoes, blank cartridges and other explosives on the rails for the purpose of exploding them. For many years past this practice has been in vogue before the Fourth and while the officials say that they do not cause any damage to the cars, it is for the purpose of protesting their passengers that they will stop the nuisance. Boys found in this mischief will be arrested.

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St. Anthony's Church Burned Mortgage

DOCUMENT DESTROYED AT THIRD ANNIVERSARY

Parish Presented With 3000 Feet of Land

Yesterday was a happy occasion for the pastor and congregation of St. Anthony's Portuguese Catholic church for it not only marked the third anniversary of the little church but by the burning of a $7300 mortgage it marked the payment of the last debt on the building, which is now title-clear and was made threefold memorable by the presentation of 3000 feet of land to the church by James H. McDermott, the land lying directly in the rear of the present church edifice.

At solemn high mass in the morning the little church was packed to the doors, Catholics other than Portuguese being present in large numbers. The interior of the church was beautifully decorated with the American and Portuguese colors gracefully entwined while the altar was adorned with flowers.

The celebrant of the solemn high mass was Rev. J. A. Sirois, O. M. I., of the Tewksbury novitiate; assisted by Rev. Fr. Gularte, of New Bedford, as deacon, and Brother Fox, O. M. I., of Tewksbury novitiate, as sub-deacon.

The music for the mass was arranged by Peter A. Clune directing the choir. The regular church quartet sang, assisted by a large chorus. Miss Lulu Ginty presided at the organ. The program was: Prelude, Mendelssohn; Asperges, Witska; Introit, Falkenstein; Mass in D, Stearns; Veni Creator, Lavalle; Offertory, Lambllotte; chorus, Mozart; and finale, Huber.

The sermon was preached by Rev. J. V. Rosa, pastor of the church. He reviewed the three years which had resulted in the formation of a strong parish and the payment of a debt on the building which the Portuguese occupied.

Fr. Rosa said in part: "It was the initiative of Rev. A. J. Pimental, Portuguese pastor in Boston, that made the Portuguese of Lowell take the first steps toward the acquisition of the church, whose anniversary we, full of joy, celebrate today.

"In February, 1901, Rev. Fr. Pimentel appointed a committee of the following Portuguese: M. P. Mello, president; A. C. Picanco, treasurer; J. S. Ramos, secretary; A. J. de Avila, Francisca Vice, Francisca M. Gomes, J. S. Netto, Narcize M. Rebell, M. M. Santos, J. J. Duarte, A. J. E. Mello, F. M. Quarlho, J. E. de Aguiare and Antoine P. Machado. Permission was granted by Rev. Michael Ronan, pastor of St. Peter's church, and the first meeting was held in the rear of the old St. Peter's church, in Gorham street.

"The force of will and perseverance of Rev. Fr. Pimentel, and the generous co-operation of the Portuguese of Lowell, two elements essentially necessary to form a parish, are in evidence today, in the success which has crowned their efforts and religious abnegation.

"It is with the greatest of pleasure that we record the name of an Irish Catholic, who, far from being a stranger to the religious doings of the Portuguese colony, has given them counsel, and in a special manner has assisted them with his charity—Mr. James McDermott, showing at first interest for the Portuguese in the purchase of their church, has now added his name to the list of benefactors of the same.

"It is with justifiable joy that today the pastor with his generous parishioners destroy and reduce to ashes a mortgage of $7300, which has been lying on their shoulders for the past two years."

Solemn vespers were sung at 7 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Rosa and the choir rendered a special musical program, Daniel J. Donohue being among the soloists. Anniversary pamphlets were given away as souvenirs.

KNOWN IN LOWELL

CORNELIUS BOWEN TRAMPLED UNDER HORSE'S HOOFS.

BOSTON, June 20.—Cornelius Bowen, 52 years old, of Somerville, died about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at the Cambridge hospital. Last Friday noon, in Harvard square, Cambridge, while trying to hold a horse which had been frightened by a firecracker, Mr. Bowen was thrown down and trampled under the animal's hoofs. His skull was fractured and he never regained consciousness.

Since 1879 Mr. Bowen had been in business for himself as teamster and safe mover. His office was at 12 Chardon street, Boston. One of the most difficult tasks accomplished by Mr. Bowen in Boston was raising the bell of the New Old South church to the belfry, June 15, 1895. The bell weighed 3255 pounds, and it was taken to a height of 190 feet and lodged in the tower. In the transportation line he was well known among the business men of Boston and vicinity, Manchester and Concord, N. H., Lowell, Worcester, Springfield, Newburyport and Providence.

Mr. Bowen was born in London, Eng., and came to this country in 1867. Somerville had been his home most of the time since. For eight years he was employed by J. Manning, safe mover. For many years he lived on Linwood street, in Somerville, and for the past two years his home had been at 21 Aldersey street. He leave a widow and six children; two sons were in business with him.

Mr. Bowen was a democratic candidate for alderman in ward 1 in 1902 and 1903. He was one of the prominent debaters in the Somerville board of trade. He was president of the Middlesex county board of the A. O. H., and a member of other orders.

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MINISTERS TALK

They Comment on Gen. Slocum Disaster

NEW YORK, June 20.—Nearly every minister in Greater New York referred in his weekly discourse to the Slocum disaster. A dominant note in all the sermons was similar but many strong comments were heard as to the cause of the disaster. Dr. R. C. MacArthur at the Calvary Baptist church, said: "The disaster abounds in practical and spiritual lessons. It belongs to the great mystery in human existence.

"This was not, however, what is known in a legal sense as an "Act of God." We err if we blame God for the neglect of man. God is not responsible for our violation of nature's laws.

"The sense of brotherhood has been strong in every soul since this disaster. We have learned the lesson of sympathy; we must learn that of precaution."

Rev. Dr. Huntington of Grace church said:

"It has been by such bitter experience as this that we have learned of self-protection against the violence of nature. These poor sufferers have not died in vain if following upon their dreadful pains there come better shipbuilding regulations, more rigid inspection of steam vessels and stricter discipline aboard vessels carrying human lives."

General dread caused by the disaster has greatly thinned the crowds which usually fill to the limit excursion steamers plying to nearby resorts. Many steamers with a capacity of 1500 to 3000 left their docks carrying less than half that number. Employes of the dock department stationed along the wharves for many ears declare they never before had seen such a sudden falling off in the crowds of pleasure seekers.

One of the most pathetic cases in connection with the burning of the Slocum is that of a German woman and her young daughter. They lived in an East Side tenement. The woman came to America with her husband several years ago, leaving a baby girl behind because of their poverty. The husband fell into evil habits and ran away. His wife managed to eke out an existence and had, after a long struggle saved money to send for the daughter in Germany. She is now on the ocean. Meanwhile, taking her second child, the poor woman went on the Slocum for a breath of fresh air. She was brought up dead from the wreckage with the child locked in her arms. The name of the steamer on which the first child is a passenger cannot be learned and the relief committee is arranging to have a watch kept at the immigrant station for her.

BIGAMY CHARGED

JOHN T. DILL ARRESTED IN SOUTH FRAMINGHAM.

FALL RIVER, June 20.—Detective Shay of this city Saturday arrested John T. Dill in South Framingham on a bench warrant from the Bristol grand jury, charging bigamy. Dill comes from Boston and is alleged to have there married Miss Margaret Misener in 1875. Ten or 12 years ago he left her and, it is alleged, in 1891 married Miss Albertine Martel of this city, in Woonsocket, R. I. She lived with him but a few months and returned to her mother's home here on account of certain facts which she found in connection with her husband's Boston marriage.

About two years ago the second Mrs. Dill instituted divorce proceedings, alleging non-support and abusive treatment. Dill contested the petition and won the case, but his wife refused to live with him, laid the case before the local police, and an indictment was found against Dill at the June sitting of the grand jury.

In the meantime the first Mrs. Dill instituted divorce proceedings in Suffolk county, was granted an absolute divorce, married again, and is now living in East Boston. Dill is a traveling salesman for a Boston house and formerly lived here. He will be taken to New Bedford today.

ANNUAL PICNIC

OF FIRST TRINITARIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL AT WILLOW DALE.

The Sunday school of the First Trinitarian church at Willow Dale, Saturday, was largely attended. A special car filled to overflowing, left the church on Dutton street at 8.30 a.m., another at 1.30 a.m., and many came during the morning and afternoon on every regular car. The morning was spent in boating, general athletics, in roaming about the beautiful lakeside, and in swimming on the part of many of the boys.

After the basket dinner, there were interesting and exciting athletic events under the direction of the following committee on sports, which attended to its business in fine shape: Erle Farnham, Walter Kitchen, Albert Ludwig, Raymond Coffin and George Goodchild. The judges were Erle Garnham, starter, Raymond Coffin and Albert Ludwig. At the close of the contests, first, second and third prizes were awarded in order as follows: Running broad jump, Wm. Walmsley, 15 ft. 1 in., William Farley, Edgar Ames; boys' three-legged race, Thomas and Slaters, Mixer and Taylor, Hudson and Robinson; standing high jump, 4 ft. 3in., Wm. Farley, Edgar Ames, Flemings; boys' running race, Collins, Carter, Shedd; 100 yards dash, Edgar Ames, William Walmsley, Bradford; shot put, Bradford, Flemings, William Farley; girls' running race, Ethel Pendexter, Ruth Upton, Lois Kittredge; running high jump, William Farley, 4 ft. 6 in., Ames, Flemings; girls' potato race, Ethel Pendexter, Beatrice Hibbard, Ruth Upton; 220 yards dash, Edgar Ames, W. Farley, William Walmsley; girls' lemon race, Ethel Pendexter, Marion Gerry, Mabel Sanborn; standing broad jump, William Farley, 8 ft. 9 in., Edgar Ames, William Walmsley. The highest number of points were won as follows: First, William Farley, second Edgar Ames, third William Walmsley.

A game of baseball was then played, captained by Edgar Ames and W. Farley. The nines were as follows: Edgar Ames captain, Flemings, Walmsley, Coffin, Gunston, Robinson, Crane, Turnbull, Guy Hunt; William Farley, captain; Hintze, Girard, Cashin, Grindle, Farnham, Hovey, Welsh, Ludwig, Lyman, Herbert Hope, Ambrose. The Edgar Ames won by a score of 14 to 1. Umpire, Edwin Kilpatrick. The pastor, Rev. George F. Kenngott and the superintendent, Mr. Hector Turnbull, were present during the day. The picnic was in every way a success.

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The vacation season is on in earnest, and now everybody who can is seeking change of scene and relaxation from daily toil.

Great interest centres in the republican national convention at Chicago, which opens tomorrow. The fact that there is no candidate but Teddy for the head of the ticket makes it a cut and dried affair.

GENERAL DUNDONALD'S CASE.

Gen. Dundonald, the commander of the troops in Canada, is relieved of his position because of some criticism of government officials in a speech at Montreal. He had experience in the Boer war which taught him the danger of having appointments in the army influenced by political consideration. He denounced interference by such officials for the good of the service and is forced out. Dundonald is right and the ministers are wrong.

"LONDON, June 20.—There are several reports that the retreat of Gen. Stakelberg, who was defeated in the battle of Telissu, is imminently threatened, if it has not been already cut off, and news of his complete isolation is confidently expected here."

"Confidently expected here" shows how the sympathy goes in London. No doubt the defeat of Russia at all points is confidently expected and hoped for in London, but in that the friends of Japan may be disappointed.

TOO SHOCKING TO CONTEMPLATE.

The details of the disaster to the General Slocum are too horrible for the average reader. The more is found out about the terrible affair, the more it appears that there was the grossest negligence on the part of the management of the big vessel. The eyes of the world have been opened to two of the most dreadful dangers that can be imagined—one, fire in theatres or large halls, the other fire in large excursion steamers. The result should bring about reforms not only in this country but in every country in the world.

SENATOR LODGE'S PLATFORM.

Senator Lodge will build the platform to be adopted by the republican convention. That is a sufficient manifest of what it will be. It will be Lodge-like—ingeniously evasive, non-committal, with a large proportion of patriotic bombast touching the "glorious" record of the republican party, the all pervading surfeit of prosperity that has resulted from the republican protective policy. It will dwell upon the completion of the arrangements for the Panama canal and the success of the mission to release Perdicaris—all of which marks the unparalleled progress of this nation under the wise, patriotic and "trusted" direction of the republican party. Lodge can be relied upon to evade all vital questions and to supply the deficiency with hot air.

THE PRESS THE DREAD OF TYRANTS.

What a wonderful instrument is the press of a country, what a potent weapon for good in the interests of a nation. The occurrences of every civilized nation are laid before the readers of the daily paper as regularly as the rising and setting of the sun.

Thus in the vast expanse of the civilized world every country knows not only what is going on within its own limits, but within the limits of every other country.

These occurrences incite comment. The press draws just conclusions in regard to every event of importance and thus public opinion is built up.

Public opinion is the power "wherein doth sit the dread and fear of kings." It is not long ago since tyrants sat unmoved by any power save the bombs exploding against their embattled castles; but now when the emperor of Germany finds in a daily newspaper a statement which he thinks would prejudice public opinion against him, he hastens to have the statement corrected. Even the Czar of Russia, who is regared as the most absolute ruler on earth, is not indifferent to the statements and the comments of the press.

Either emperor will wince under what he considers an unjust attack in the press even as much as the president of the United States, who during his whole course of official life is largely influenced in his action by the comments of the press.

It might be said that this great power is of little use to the poor or the down-trodden, but it is this class in particular that is benefited by the power of the press.

Whatever is wrong, unjust or tyrannical is exposed by a free press and public opinion is aroused to set it right. Thus tyrannical rulers can be pilloried before the bar of public opinion through the agency of the press until they agree to grant reforms.

Not only is every ruler solicitous of the good opinion of his own nation, but of that of other nations and hence each nation vies with every other nation in progress, in enlightenment, in just laws, in consideration for humanity and the general uplifting of mankind. Thus the whole world is put upon its dignity and good behavior as it were, knowing that the press stands ready to denounce the wrong and commend the right.

In the exercise of its great power, the press is occasionally prostituted to vile purposes. The freedom of the press does not give any man the power to cut and slash indiscriminately any more than it gives a man power to go out on the street and knock men down indiscriminately. The press has well defined privileges and is well protected within those privileges; but when these are exceeded or violated then the offending newspaper is liable time as any other violator of the law.

The freedom of the press does not imply freedom to do wrong, although great latitude is allowed in the criticism of public officials, public institutions and public or private abuses.

But for the dread of exposure and denunciation through the press public officials would be more corrupt than they really are and the rights of the people would be more and more trampled upon. Some people think that it is a mistake to publish accounts of heinous crimes as the details of such happenings are likely to be imitated by weak-minded people, but the publication appeals to public opinion in a manner calculated to prevent such crimes in the future. Were criminal news omitted, crimes would multiply and there would be no means of knowing to what extent they prevailed. The publication of criminal news appeals to state authorities, to those entrusted with the enforcement of the law and brings about new laws and greater vigilance to prevent such crimes in the future. The gain to society in this respect far exceeds the injury done and we admit that some injury may result from the detailed account of crimes committed.

But on the whole a free press as has been well said is the palladium of the people's liberty, the defender of right, the implacable foe of wrong and the beacon of modern civilization.

SEEN AND HEARD

The Boston saloons give trading stamps to customers.

The office of superintendent of schools was established in 1859.

Blueberries and blackberries are in the market.

Builders say that it costs them from 30 to 50 per cent. more to build a house or business block today than it did five years ago.

The present bridge across the Concord, on Church street, was built in 1838 at a cost of $11,295. It stands as a monument to early economy and first-class workmanship.

Our sister city, Lawrence, claims the honor of having among its citizens Harvard's oldest living graduate, Rev. Joseph W. Cross, a retired Congregational minister, who is 96 years of age.

Miss Anna V. Regan of this city was bridesmaid at the wedding of William B. Ryan and Miss Julia A. Graham in South Lawrence, Wednesday. Rev. Fr. John J. Gilday, formerly of Lowell, tied the knot.

Dr. Leonard Hmstress is certainly much honored, both in the line of his profession, in being a member of the Lowell board of health and a trustee of the state hospital in Tewksbury. And he bears his honors modestly.

Forty years ago, June 17, 1864, Capt. Wm. Wyman, one of Lowell's earliest residents, died at the age of 82. He owned a farm on the heights of Belvidere on which now stand many of our finest private residents, and what is popularly called "Quality hill." Capt. Wyman constructed many of Lowell's buildings, notably Wyman's Exchange.

The long columns of weddings in The Sun last week were good reading, but uppermost in it all is the warning to young and unmarried men. This is leap year; that's why weddings are so numerous. Mark you males of the single state of blessedness, it isn't safe for a young man to go outdoors during the year 1904.

A letter taking the part of the dog accused of biting a woman, in Shaw street, a few days ago has been received at this office. The writer, evidently one of the dog's most loyal friends, and one who believes in standing up for the under dog, says that the dog in question is the pet of the neighborhood and that he would not have bitten the woman but for the fact that she ran away from him, yelling as she ran. The writer further claims that he was an eye witness to the affair and declares that the dog did not knock her down.

All dog lovers are talking of the feat of a big wolf hound, Pilot, the leader of the Midlothian country club. He jumped his nine-foot kennel on May 2 and on May 7 arrived at the farm on which he was bred in Sibley, Mo having travelled a distance of 480 miles in less than six days. In his journey he was obliged to cross the Illinois, Mississippi and Missouri rivers and encountered many other obstacles to fast travel. What makes the feat notable is that Pilot had been sent all the way to the country club in an express car. It has been decided that after such an heroic attempt to go back to his first home he has earned the right to stay there.

A friend of mine has a cat about a year old, who is a great hunter. She has brought home all kinds of creeping and crawling things but her latest achievement cups the climax. The other day she took a longer walk than usual and returned with a black adder, four feet long. Kitty had the snake fast, holding it just back of the head, but was not able to kill it herself and cried for assistance. This cat keeps the dogs out of the yard, and there aren't many that want a second encounter with little black "Ding-Pong."

Teddy is a bright little fellow with curly hair, but he must have forgotten his arithmetic lessons since he left school. He came around the other day with an example which he thought was a sticker. He gave it to the Sun and Herald man and put it up to him. He wanted to know what 1-3 of 2 1-3 was. The Sun and Herald man told him, but Teddy said that the right answer was 1-7. Teddy could not see into it that the answer was 1-9, and claimed that he knew it was 1-7. Seeing that I could not convince him I let him have his own way, but I am afraid that if Teddy was getting $2 1-3 a week and if he loafed four days and the boss gave him 1-7 of that amount, he would do some tall kicking for the remainder of his pay.

A kick as broad as it is long has been registered against the throwers of rice who follow married couples to the Middlesex street depot and shower them with the pesky stuff. The kick would not be so general, perhaps, but for the fact that the throwers of rice seem to think that all the men and women in the waiting room are brides and grooms and the result is that persons who have been married for years and others who are not married and never intend to be are covered with rice from head to foot.

A drummer on his way to Boston after a day of strenuous canvassing was at the depot Wednesday evening when so many couples started on their wedding trips. He had fallen asleep on a settee and when the announcer cried, "train for Boston" the drummer awoke and wondered, for a moment, where he was at. He was completely covered with rice and he told me that his ride to Boston was a very uncomfortable one. The rice was wending its way down his back, he was sitting on rice and there was rice beneath his belt. He had promised his wife he would be home at 7 o'clock and she was inclined to be fussy. He explained that he had not found it convenient to meet customers just when he wanted to and was delayed on that account. The dear little woman believed him until he undressed for bed and then there was a family row. The drummer went to bed and when his good woman entered the room she found rice in generous quantities about the floor. "George ——— what do you mean," she exclaimed. "You told me a falsehood, so you did, you mean man boo-hoo and I'll just leave you. You went to a wedding and you never thought of me. I didn't think you would abuse me like that, boo-hoo-hoo."

"Now dear" said George "just let me explain." "Explain, explain, you wretch," said the mad little woman, "you're always explaining. You want to tell me that you were in the depot when a newly married couple arrived and they covered you with rice, but if you dare tell me that I'll call you, I'll call you, a-a-boo-hoo, oh you wretch, I wish I could die." The drummer told me that his ride from Lowell to Boston, sitting in rice, and rice itchy, was comfortable compared to his experience at home. "She is not yet quite sure that I didn't attend a wedding and kiss the bride. If my wife had left me I would have sued the railroad for alienation of affection."

The drummer does not treat the rice throwing half as seriously as some who did not have jealous wives to face. The man who has the sweeping to do has also "butted in" on the kick and it is expected that considerable influence will be brought to bear to have the custom abandoned.

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NORTH BILLERICA

Mr. Roger Barrington and Christopher Walker sail on the Saxonia for England tomorrow.

Mr. Charles Hurst, the popular butcher was all smiles Saturday morning; it's a girl.

The Watsons of Lowell and a picked nine played a seven inning game on Faulkner park grounds Saturday afternoon. The Watsons won by a score of 8 to 4.

REPORTED BY WIRELESS.

NEW YORK, June 18—The Hamburg-American line steamer Blucher from Hamburg for New York has been reported in communication by wireless telegraph 80 miles off Nantucket Lightship 8.30 a. m.

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HIGHBALL WON

HE LANDED THE GREAT AMERICAN DERBY.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 20—Highball, first; Woodson, second; Rapid Water, third. After repeated efforts the East took the Great American Derby away from the West Saturday in as sensational a race as has ever been seen for the big western turf honor. English Lad, the short-priced hope of the West, finished fourth.

Proceeds, which went out in front and kept there for nearly a mile, finished last. The Derby, in one respect, was the most remarkable in turf history, its claim to fame resting on the fact that not a dollar was bet at the track, unless it was between friends and in such a way that the army of police, Pinkertons, constables and track officials could not detect it.

As Highball began to move up in the back stretch to a commanding position, the enthusiasm in the grand stand was perceptibly dampened and the cheers that greeted the winner of the great western classic were feeble compared with those of years when western favorites wore the floral horseshoes.

Highball's price was 4 to 1 to win, with 2 to 1 to place, and even money to show. He ruled at the same figure as Mobarib, the two constituting the second choice. English Lad's price was 8 to 5 to win and 8 to 5 to run second. Woodson, who ran second, was priced at 30 to 1, and Rapid Water, who finished third, carried 6 to 1.

SECRETARY CORTELYOU

ADDRESSED ALUMNI OF WESTFIELD NORMAL SCHOOL.

WESTFIELD, June 20.—The triennial meeting and banquet of the alumni of the Westfield state normal school which is the second oldest institution of its kind in the country, was held yesterday afternoon, Secretary George B. Cortelyou as president of the association, presiding.

The morning was passed socially, the new Dickenson Hall being thrown open for inspection.

The banquet took place in the assembly hall at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with covers laid for 500 persons.

Secretary Cortelyou, in his address, said:

"This is an age of wonderful achievement. Progress and prosperity are all about us. In all lines of human endeavor, this mighty young nation presses forward. From a weakling has developed a giant. From three millions we have grown to more than eight millions. From a few states on one ocean we have become a world power. From a problem we have come to many problems—aye, and from a few dangers we have come to many dangers. When these things are realized to their fullest extent, thoughtful men and women who study the life of the republic will ask themselves in what directions they must look for the safe guards of the future. "In an address last evening, before the Westfield board of trade, in talking upon industrial and commercial subjects, I said 'The eternal principle of honor and fair doings should be in the home and taught in the schools of the land. From our homes and schools must come the incentive and the inspiration, for material prosperity is but a poor empty thing if achieved through any sacrifice of the moral sense of our people. And if I know of no more appropriate place to repeat than right here among those who are devoting their lives to educational work and who know well the influence exerted by the homes and schools of this kind.

"It is not necessary that one should be a pessimist, to recognize tendencies and forbidding influences that menace the national welfare. We are not naturally a nation of pessimists. The founders of the nation breathed the very spirit of optimism and while recognizing that this government, like all other human devices, had its imperfections, the great leaders of American thought and action from the days of Washington to the present moment have carried aloft the banner of a national hopefulness and have been sustained and strengthened by a firmly rooted belief in the integrity and greatness of this mighty republic. Here, in the the heart of New England, speaking to the representatives of one of your great educational institutions I emphasize again this fine American trait of hopefulness. Let us of the Westfield Normal school give the best that lies in us to the support and to its advancement."

MOTHER AND SON

MUST SERVE ALMOST ONE YEAR FOR CATCHING TROUT.

NEW YORK, June 20—Mrs. John Tebo and her son William of Middletown are paying dearly for catching 68 fine trout in violation of the Pennsylvania laws.

The fish were caught in Potato creek, Penn., and the woman, fearing detection by the fish warden, had taken the precaution to tuck 35 trout snugly away in the loose part of her shirtwaist, leaving her fish basket empty. Her unusually stout appearance caused the warden to be suspicious and he compelled her to forthwith produce the speckled specimens. The son had 30 trout in the creel.

The pair were taken before Justice Crosby, convicted and fined. Mrs. Tebo's fine was $150 and her son's $300, being $10 for each fish caught. The prisoners were unable to pay and were sent to jail for one day for each dollar.

AIMED AT MELLEN

Threat Made to Blow up His Train

NEW YORK, June 20.—There was consternation yesterday among the officials of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad company and the Pennsylvania over news of another anonymous letter sent to President Charles S. Mellen of the New Haven road.

Extra precautions were taken to guard the special train on which Mr. Mellen and his party left the Jersey City station of the Pennsylvania at 5.15 Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Mellen is a delegate from Connecticut to the republican national convention. The letter which threatened to do him violence and gave warning of an attack to be made upon the special train was postmarked Wilkesbarre, Penn.

It was learned yesterday that railroad detectives had been secretly stationed at various points all along the route from New Haven to Mott Haven and from Jersey City to Chicago.

While Mr. Mellen was president of the Northern Pacific railroad he had to deal with a band of robbers who demanded $50,000 under threats to destroy the property under his control.

The headquarters of the band, as indicated in the letters sent to Mr. Mellen was at that time in Butte, Mont. That was in October last. Soon afterward Mr. Mellen became president of the New Haven lines.

Not content with their villanies out west, the band pursued Mr. Mellen to Connecticut. One of the first communications placed on his desk by his private secretary was a letter threatening to blow up the Adams express train unless $5000 was forthcoming. They did place 15 ties in front of an Adams express train at Pelham.

A stick of dynamite was also found on the tracks.

FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION.

A grand opportunity for enjoying the holiday is to take the Boston & Maine trip to Niagara Falls at the very low rate of $10.40 for the round trip via the West Shore and $9.90 via the Delaware & Hudson and Erie. Tickets are good going on all regular trains July 1st to 2d; returning on regular trains not after July 4th.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Alphonse Audette, son of Edward and Emelie Audette, and Miss Amanda Fortier, daughter of John and Lase Fortier, were married yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory by Rev. Fr. Campeau. The witnesses were Mr. Alphonse Fortier and Miss Dianna Godin. After the ceremony a wedding luncheon was served at the home of the bride's parents, 130 Cross street. Mr. and Mrs. Audette were the recipients of many beautiful and costly gifts.

LAFRANCE—PROVENCHER.

Albert F. Lafrance, a well-known young desident of Lawrence, and Miss C. Della Provencher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Narbert L. Provencher of Concord street were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Nolin, O. M. I., at the parochial residence of St. Jean Baptiste church, last evening.

The bride was attired in a gown of white silk and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by Miss Clara Lafrance, sister of the groom, and Napoleon Provencher, brother of the bride, was best man. They will reside in Lawrence.

The bridemaid wore white crepe de chine and carried white pinks.

Following the wedding ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, 186 Concord street, where a reception was held.

The reception was attended by many of the friends and relatives of the couple, including a large delegation from the West End club of Lawrence, of which the groom is an active member. The newly married couple departed last evening for an extended trip to Canada.

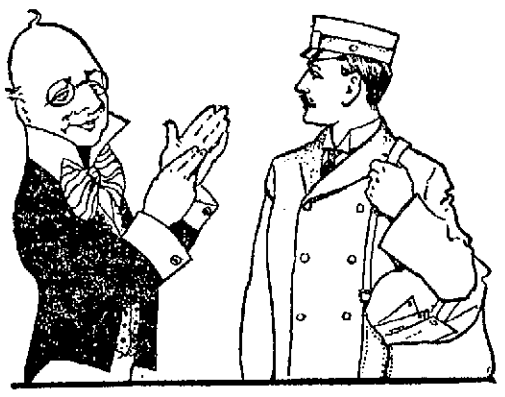
TEWKSBURY

A number of members of the Young Women's Christian association, with friends enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Enoch Foster of Tewksbury, Saturday afternoon. The large house was thrown open for them and on the spacious grounds a basket picnic was enjoyed. It was a very pleasant outing and all were appreciative of the thoughtfulness of Mrs. Foster.

Rev. C. L. Pierce of the Tewksbury First Baptist church occupied the pulpit of the Centre Congregational church yesterday morning, preaching in exchange with the pastor, Rev. Mr. Minchin. His sermon was very strong and practical.

The "central" of the farmer's exchange will be installed today and the lines will then be connected. For some time past the 'phones have been installed in the residences.

The Grange will hold its annual strawberry festival on Friday evening and a good time is promised by the committee in charge.



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BARELY ESCAPED

The Schooner Harold L. Berry Almost Lost

SHE COLLIDED WITH ANOTHER VESSEL

The Distress Signal Was at Once Hoisted

CHATHAM, June 20.—The lumber-laden schooner Harold L. Berry of Bath, Me., narrowly escaped being sent to the bottom of Pollock Rip Slue channel with all on board at 11 o'clock Saturday night. The Berry was beating southward and was on the starboard tack heading toward Pollock Rip lightship when suddenly out of the thick haze loomed another schooner, said to be the James L. Maloy of Rockland, directly upon her.

Before any alarms could be given the oncoming vessel, running at full speed, struck the Berry on her starboard bow. The impact was terrific, as shown by the fact that the Berry's anchor was broken completely in two. The anchor received the greater part of the force of the crash, however, and the boat being loaded with lumber was what saved the Berry from being sent to the bottom. The recoil from the anchor caused the oncoming vessel to sheer away somewhat and then to tear alongside the whole length of the Berry, her bowsprit and stem ripping away the bulwarks and rigging and snapped off both of the Berry's masts about 20 feet from the deck, sending them crashing down upon the decks and over the stern.

It seemed miraculous that none of the Berry's crew were killed or knocked overboard, with the spars, sails, blocks and rigging falling from aloft in every direction. Capt. Barter was on deck when the collision occurred, but his wife, who was accompanying him on this voyage, was asleep below. The shock threw her out of her bunk and she rushed on deck, thinking the vessel was sinking.

Just as she emerged through the companionway the mainmast went over the stern with a crash and the jib-boom of the colliding vessel went scraping past just above her head. Her peril was imminent and she narrowly escaped instant death.

The Berry's main rigging was so stout and held to the mainmast to tenaciously that it pulled the anchor off of the starboard bow of the other schooner, snapping its chain and causing it to drop on top of the Berry's deckload, but fortunately striking no one in its fall.

The colliding schooner slid off into the darkness and was quickly lost to sight in the thick haze.

Capt. Barter let go his port anchor to prevent drifting ashore into the breakers on Pollock rip and endeavored to clear away some of the wreckage. Everything was in such a complete mass of entanglement that they could make but slight headway, so at daybreak a distress signal was set on the stump of the mainmast.

The life-saving stations are not manned at this season of the year, but a wrecking crew put out from Monomoy accompanied by Keeper Kelley of the Mononoy point life-saving station, and succeeded in towing the Berry in out of the channel while the west currents were running yesterday afternoon, assisted by Capt. Mayo in the wrecking schooner Gleaner. The tug Pallas is expected to arrive from Boston before morning to tow the Berry to her destination.

She was bound from Bath for Vineyard Haven for orders and will have to be discharged before repairs can be made. What became of the colliding schooner or how extensive were her injuries is not known by those on board the Berry.

KILLED HIS SON

Father Accused of a Revolting Crime

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., June 20.—Chauncey Hotaling, aged 40 years, was placed in jail here yesterday afternoon charged with the murder of his three-year-old blind son, whom he had always abhorred, because of the child's infirmity and the attempted murder of his wife. Hataling lived in the town of Vestal, about five miles from this city. Early yesterday morning he burned down the house in which the child was, and supposed until several hours later that he had also killed and burned his wife.

O'Donnell's hacks are the best in town.

ON FATHER'S GRAVE

GIDEON BURTON ENDED HIS LIFE.

BENNINGTON, Vt., June 20.—The body of Gideon Burton, a former resident, was found on the grave of his father in the village cemetery early yesterday morning. His head was near the monument. A revolver from which two shots had been fired told the story.

One bullet had entered under the left eye and the other the mouth. Burton had apparently been dead several hours. Three dollars was found in his pockets.

Saturday afternoon a message was received from his wife, who lives at 356 Decatur street, Brooklyn, stating that he had left home Thursday and had told her he was coming here to kill himself on his father's grave.

He arrived about 7 Saturday evening but did not go to the home of his sister-in-law. During the evening he met several acquaintances, and he was last seen about 11 eating at a lunch cart.

About 11.30 persons living near the cemetery heard shots, but thinking it was some one shooting at cats, paid no attention to it.

Burton was 66 years of age and a compositor by trade. For a number of years he worked on the Bennington Banner, and for 30 years had conducted a job office in New York and Brooklyn.

He had been despondent since the death of a daughter three years ago. His wife was Miss Rosa Morton of this village.

BANDIT RAISULI

Says That He Was Unjustly Used

LONDON, June 20.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Tangier, under date of June 19, says that a letter had been received on that day from Raisuli in which the bandit says:

"It is well that the Englishmen and the Americans should know the truth regarding my doings and the reasons why I have taken Perdicaris. All that has been said at Tangier about me as well as the statement that I hate the Christian Europeans and want to drive them from Morocco, is wrong.

"I desire to do no wrong to any Christian. Should trouble come it will come from Europe, for if troops are landed we will fight."

Raisuli lays the cause of the present trouble to the deposed governor of Tangier, who, with his family, governed Tangier for generations, persecuted Raisuli's tribe, killed boys, mutilated children and disregarded all the principles of their religion.

Raisuli says that when he went to Tangier, he had no intention of taking Perdicaris any more than he had of taking any other European or American, but he is now glad that he took an American for, he says, America will be forced to fight the sultan, overthrow the governor and release the innocent prisoners.

The letter also says: "Mr. Perdicaris is safe and wants for nothing except to see his wife."

A special messenger from the brigand arrived at the British legation yesterday. It is rumored Raisuli desires that his immunity shall be guaranteed by Great Britain and the United States.

The legations here confidently anticipate the arrival of Messrs. Perdicaris and Varley within two days.

"QUEEN" IS DEAD

Colored Badgerer Killed by White Man

NEW YORK, June 20.—Ida Howard, alias "Goldie Moran," a pretty negress who was known as the "colored badger queen of the tenderloin," was shot and killed early today by her common law husband, Chas. J. Arthur, 25 years old, a white man. The shooting was the culmination of a quarrel in which the couple had been engaged for more than a week, and occurred after Arthur had been apparently deserted by the woman. Arthur was arrested as he was about to fire a fifth shot into the woman's body as she lay in the street where she had fallen. Mrs. Howard was 28 years of age. She was very light in color and hardly distinguishable from a white woman. She had been arrested many times and her picture is in the rogues gallery. A week ago, it is said, a quarrel started between the couple because of the attentions the woman accused Arthur of paying to other women. Before the officers could remove Arthur from the scene they were set upon by angry negroes who threatened violence until they were beaten off. Arthur said he had intended to use the remaining bullet in the revolver to take his own life. The woman was taken to a hospital but died before she reached the institution.

FATALLY BURNED

NEIGHBORS TRIED TO RESCUE MISS FLANDERS.

NEWBURYPORT, June 20.—Miss Charlotte Flanders, aged 86, was fatally burned at her home, 12 Tyng street, yesterday. She was filling a lighted oil stove, when her apron brushed against the blaze, and an in instant her clothing was a mass of flames.

She ran into the adjoining tenement of George E. Libby, where the fire was extinguished by William E. Brown, A. A. Jackson and Mr. Libby, not, however, until the clothing had been practically burned from the upper part of her body. The attending physician said she could not live.

Mr. Brown, in throwing the burning oil stove from the house and in helping extinguish the flames that enveloped Miss Flanders, was badly burned about the hands and face. Miss Flanders resided with her brother, Enoch C. Flanders, the town crier.

LOSS OF $50,000

SIXTEEN BUILDINGS DESTROYED AT MARS HILL.

MARS HILL, Me., June 20.—A fire which broke out in a stable in the rear of Thomas Mahan's clothing store at 1.30 yesterday morning swept a path through one side of the village, driven by a high wind, and in less than an hour property valued at $50,000 was destroyed.

Sixteen buildings and their contents were burned, including the Bangor & Aroostook railroad's freight depot and coal shed, the stores of W. H. Farley and Thomas Mahan, potato storehouses of Cleveland, Robinson & Co., Sanford & York, Currier & Graham, York & Henderson, R. J. Colbeth, Dillon & York and Pitcher, White & Co., the hotel of Mrs. John Clark, the residence of Thomas Mahan and a number of small dwellings, stables and other buildings.

Five box and two flat cars belonging to the Bangor & Aroostook and loaded with mixed freight were burned to the truck frames.

Twenty telegraph poles fell in the fire and communication was cut off until late yesterday afternoon.

The fire burned fiercely and a change of wind would have wiped out the entire village.

Several thousand barrels of potatoes were roasted and make up a good share of the loss.

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JEWELER MISSING

WENT TO BOSTON AND DID NOT RETURN.

An inventor and jeweler, Frederick Rieard, has been missing from his boarding house on French street since February. He was the inventor of a lathe for jewelers, and left here for Boston to make arrangements for patenting and selling his invention.

At the boarding house it was thought by Mr. Scott, the owner, and others that Mr. Rieard had gone to Washington in connection with his invention, but when considerable time had elapsed and nothing was heard from him they made inquiries of his relatives in Vermont. His wife, who lives in East Randolph, Vt., and his sister wrote that they had not heard from him or seen him this year.

Three weeks ago he was seen in Lawrence soliciting orders for repairing clocks and it has been expected he would return most any day to his boarding place here.

The missing man is about 50 years old, weighs about 170 pounds, medium height, light mustache partially bald on the front of his head.

PRETTY LAWN PARTY

HELD BY LITTLE GIRLS IN AID OF ST. PETER'S ORPHANAGE.

A lawn party conducted Saturday afternoon under the management of three little grammar school girls, the Misses Janet Rowlandson, Florence Gallagher and Elizabeth Riley on the grounds surrounding the residence of W. E. Rowlandson and Mrs. Robert E. Crowley in Pleasant street, and in aid of St. Peter's orphanage, brought the sisters in charge of the worthy institution over $70.

The affair was a brilliant success in every detail and the clever little maidens to whom the success was due are entitled to much praise.

The little ones had been working for the success many days prior to the event, going about the neighborhood soliciting articles for sale. There were several tables about the grounds and during the afternoon all did a thriving business.

The candy table was in charge of Miss Janet Rowlandson, Miss Elizabeth Riley and Miss Florence Gallagher. Cake table, Miss Marion Gallagher, Miss Lillian Roundtree, Miss Amy LeFevre, Miss Mossie McKeon. College ices, Miss Francis Simonds, Miss Anna McQuade, Miss Modrina Rowlandson. Mr. Campbell McDonald had charge of the tonic table.

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NEW PROFESSOR

Dr. Weed Will Teach at Normal School

Dr. Clarence Moores Weed, professor of zoology and entomology at the New Hampshire state college at Durham, has accepted the position of teacher of biology in the Lowell normal school. He succeeds Miss Carolyn Morse and will begin his duties at the opening of the next term.

Dr. Weed was born 38 years ago in Toledo, O., and moved to Lansing, Mich., at an early date, where he was educated. He has received the following degrees: BSc, Michigan Agricultural college, 1883; MSc, 1884; DSc, Ohio state university.

After graduating he was associated with Orange Judd on the Prairie Farmer in Chicago for two years, then became assistant state entomologist of Illinois for three or four years; then entomologist at the Ohio experiment station until called to New Hampshire in 1891 as professor of zoology and entomology at the New Hampshire college. He was appointed state nursery inspector in New Hampshire in 1903.

Dr. Weed is the author of many bulletins from the Ohio and New Hampshire experiment stations, has contributed many interesting articles for various leading magazines and is the author of a dozen books, including "Insects and Insecticides," "Spraying Crops," "The Flower Beautiful," "Nature Biographies," "Life Histories of American Insects," "Stories of Insect Life," etc., etc.

He is joint author with Dr. Ned Dearborn, assistant curator, department of birds, Field Columbian Museum, Chicago, of Birds in Their Relation to Man," which work is widely used as a text book in the schools and colleges. Dr. Dearborn received his degree DSc, under Dr. Weed, for post graduate work at New Hampshire college.

Dr. Weed was elected chairman of the school board in Durham in 1902 and was unanimously re-elected for a term of three years in 1903. He was chairman of the committee that prepared the "Outline of Nature Study for New Hampshire Schools," adopted in 1902 by the state teachers' association.

He is in charge of the department of nature study in Martha's Vineyard summer institute, and for the past two years was instructor in nature study in the New Hampshire summer institute.

He has been president of the Cambridge entomological club, and is now vice-president of the National association of economic entomologists. For many years he has been the editor of the entomological department of the American Naturalist. He is married and has three children. In educational circles and as an author he is well known throughout the United States.

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WILLIAM J. BRYAN

SAYS NOMINEE WILL BE ONE WHO SUPPORTED 1896 PLATFORM.

NEW YORK, June 20.—William J. Bryan arrived yesterday afternoon to speak at the anti-Parker convention in Cooper Union tonight. He was accompanied by M. E. Dunlap, Mr. Hearst's Illinois manager, and the two took adjoining rooms at the Hoffman house, where all the evening they entertained democratic leaders.

Mr. Bryan denied that the fact that Mr. Dunlap came here with him meant that there was to be a general conference here of the radical forces. He said he might see such leaders as Charles F. Murphy, but he had no special engagement to meet them.

Mr. Bryan laid down a dictum regarding the nomination of a candidate for President at St. Louis.

"The fact that a man opposed the ticket in 1896," he declared, "will be an insurmountable barrier to his nomination. I have said that no man who failed to support the ticket then should be named at St. Louis."

"It has been reported that you would agree to Mr. Olney."

"Besides having supported the ticket in 1896 candidates must be in thorough sympathy and accord with the present purposes and principles of the democratic party. Mr. Olney did not support the ticket in 1896, but he did in 1900 by writing a letter."

O'Donnell's funeral hacks are the neatest.

BRILLIANT WEDDING

THE PRESIDENT'S NEPHEW WAS THE GROOM.

HYDE PARK, N. Y., June 18.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt were the guests of honor today at the wedding of Miss Helen Roosevelt and Theodore Douglass Robinson. The bride is a daughter of J. Roosevelt, who is a cousin of the president, and the bridegroom is a son of the president's sister, Mrs. D. Robinson of New York. Lieut. Robert M. Ferguson, a personal friend of the president, received the president and his party at the station which was prettily decorated with flags and bunting. The president, Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Carew were escorted by Lieut. Ferguson to a carriage in waiting and driven rapidly to the picturesque little Episcopal church in the village where the ceremony was performed. The church was filled with guests when the presidential party arrived and as the guests of honor entered the assembled guests rose and remained standing until the president and Mrs. Roosevelt were seated. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Ashton a friend of the Roosevelt family. The bridesmaids were Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the president; Miss Eleanor Roosevelt, his niece, Miss Caroline Drayton, Miss Mary Newbold, Miss Corrie Douglas Robinson, Miss N. Wood and the Misses Wolryche Whitmore.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, the president and Mrs. Roosevelt and several hundred other guests attended an elaborate reception to the young couple at the handsome country home of J. Roosevelt Roosevelt, about 20 miles from the village. President Roosevelt and party will leave Hyde Park this afternoon for New York. They will pass Sunday as the guests of Attorney General Knox at his country home near Valley Forge, Pa.

Miss Annie Smith of West Sixth street, Centralville, has left Lowell to accept a very lucrative position in Malden.

FIFTEEN INJURED

Bad Trolley Accident at Spencer

SPENCER, June 20.—Fifteen persons were injured in a trolley accident on the Warren, Brookfield & Spencer line yesterday morning near the vinegar works, a car being derailed by spreading rails and smashing into a feed wire pole.

The accident took place shortly after 10 o'clock. The car was west bound, and was coasting slowly down grade, with Charles Woodis of Brookfield at the handles, under charge of Chief Motorman Paul Jerome. When the car left the track and struck the pole the abrupt stop caused the rear end to be thrown askew, the passengers being thrown to the ground or against the seats. The motorman applied the brakes and stuck to his post.

Prompt medical assistance was given to the injured, the most seriously hurt being John Barry. No blame is attached to any one. The service on the main line was only delayed 15 minutes.

HANGED HIMSELF

PATRICK CARNEY OF ROXBURY WAS DESPONDENT.

BOSTON, June 20.—In a moment of despondency over the illness of his wife and children, Patrick Carney, 30 years old, of 5 Riverside street, Roxbury, committed suicide by hanging yesterday afternoon.

His body was found suspended from a beam in the yard of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad, shortly after 6 o'clock, by one of the watchmen.

Carney was employed by the railroad. It is supposed he brooded over the misfortunes of his family until rendered desperate. He had evidently made preparations for the deed, for a clothesline, which he probably took from his house, was used.

Mrs. Carney and her two children are in the south department of the city hospital with diphtheria. But they are convalescent and in no danger. Mrs. Carney was able to sit up yesterday, and the two children are well advanced toward recovery, so that Carney's rash act is the more regrettable.

He is highly spoken of by his neighbors as a kind father and a good workman.

HELPLESS WOMAN

FOUND ALONE IN MIDST OF HIDDEN WEALTH.

MILFORD, Ct., June 20.—Amid piles of rags, bottles, tin cans, boxes and rubbish, the selectmen of this town found Miss Helen Prince, living alone, and helplessly ill at her home in a secluded part of the town. The house, which had once been a fashionable residence, was surrounded with weeds and bushes so that the way to it was well-night impassable. Miss Prince was moved to the home of a neighbor and the officials began to clean up the house. In the tin cans they found small change, silver pieces and coppers. In the lining of clothing, in the upholstery of the furniture, and tied in the corners of the rags, they came across more money. The boxes gave forth more wealth, and two bank books were unearthed showing large sums on deposit in New Haven and Bridgeport institutions. In all, the discoveries will aggregate several thousand dollars.

In later years Miss Price has done washing and dug clams, for a living. Every one supposed she was penniless, and the finding of so much wealth stowed away in her home has caused a sensation. The money has been given into the keeping of the officials, and the aged woman will be sent to some institution where she will receive proper care.

DRESS AFIRE

ACCIDENT AT A WEDDING IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, June 20.—At the wedding of Miss Fannie Reinstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reinstein, and Barnett Freedman in Swartz hall last evening the dress of Miss Lena Reinstein, the maid of honor, caught fire. Joseph Kalis, the best man, promptly extinguished the blaze, but not until Miss Reinstein's right shoulder was badly burned.

This is the third similar accident in Boston within a month and will furnish an added argument for those rabbis who proposed an abolition of lighted candles at Jewish weddings.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Leftman. The bride wore white silk crepe de chine trimmed with chiffon. The groom was ushered under the canopy by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Reinstein, Mr. Reinstein being a brother of the bride, while the bride was escorted by Mr. and Mrs. H. Kalis. Miss Bessie Freedland was flower girl and Hyman Kalis page boy. The ushers were Harry Cohen, Samuel Freedland and J. Rosenberg.

A reception and collation followed. Mr. and Mrs. Freedman will reside at 82 Brighton street.

WANTS RELEASE

Sellars Appeals to a Higher Court

SALEM, June 20.—The full bench of the supreme judicial court will at 9.30 a. m. tomorrow consider the petition of Valentine T. Sellars, the Lawrence newspaper man, now serving a nine months' sentence in the house of correction in this city. Sellars was indicted by the Essex county grand jury for alleged libel on the superintendent of the almshouse in Lawrence.

When the case was called in the superior criminal court he failed to answer and was defaulted. Subsequently a capias was issued by the court for his arrest, it having been learned that he was in New Hampshire. Several days later Sellars appeared in court and Justice Wait refused to waive the default and he was sentenced to the house of correction without trial. Justice Wait informed Sellars when sentence was passed that the only way he could secure release from the house of correction and stand trial was by habeas corpus proceedings.

From lawyers it was learned that in case the supreme court grants Sellars his petition, he will either be held in heavy bail, or else remanded to jail without bonds. He will in case he is released, have to answer to the indictment now hanging over him.

It is claimed that Sellars is the first person ever sentenced in Massachusetts under indictment, who was not given a trial. So far as his case is concerned the government was ready for a trial, but when defaulted, he was a fugitive. The case, owing to the habeas corpus feature, attracts much attention among lawyers.

O'Donnell's wedding hacks can't be beat.

AT VALLEY FORGE

The "Evacuation Day" Speaker Was Roosevelt

PHILADELPHIA, June 20.—On the historic spot at Valley Forge, where Washington and his army suffered in order that the United States might become a nation, President Roosevelt yesterday delivered a notable address.

This was "Evacuation Day" at Valley Forge and the anniversary was celebrated appropriately in the little edifice which has been erected on what is to be the site of the Washington monument church.

Accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, the attorney-general and Mrs. Knox and members of the president's immediate party, President Roosevelt drove to Valley Forge, from Mr. Knox's beautiful country home, Valley Forge farm, to attend divine service at 3.45 p.m., in the Washington Memorial chapel.

After the simple service of the Episcopal church had been concluded, Rev. Herbert Burke, rector of All Saints church at Morristown, Pa., introduced the president, who said in part:

"It is a noteworthy thing that this state of Pennsylvania should have within its borders the places which mark the two turning points in our history, Gettysburg, which saw the high tide of the Rebellion—Valley Forge, which saw the getting beyond the danger point of the revolution.

"There would have been no point in commemorating what was done at Valley Forge, if Gettysburg had not given us the national right to commemorate it. If we were now split up into a dozen wrangling little communities, if we lacked the power to keep away here on our own continent, within our own lines, or to show ourselves a unit as against foreign aggression, then indeed the Declaration of Independence would read like empty sound and the constitution would not be worth the paper upon which it was written, save as a study for antiquarians.

"There have been other crises than those that culminated during the war for independence and the great Civil war, there have been great deeds and great men at other periods of our national history, but there never has been another deed vital to the welfare of the nation save two—the deed of those who founded and the deed of those who saved the republic. There never has been another man whose life has been vital to the republic save Washington and Lincoln. I am not here to say anything about Lincoln, but I do not see how any American can think of either of them without thinking of the other, because they represent the same work."

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We could use several pages of this size in reproducing short extracts from original letters in our possession, received from enthusiastic friends of "Seven Barks." There is no evidence of merit deserved we cannot produce, but the quickest way to settle all doubt, if in the reader's mind, is to buy a 50-cent bottle from your home druggist, and if you do not find it all we claim, get your money back. It will be cheerfully refunded by the druggist you bought of.

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FIRST COMMUNION

AT ST. PATRICKS CHURCH YESTERDAY MORNING.

A class of 250 children received first communion at 8 o'clock mass in St. Patrick's church yesterday morning. Rev. Fr. Gilday officiated and preached an eloquent sermon to the communicants.

MILITARY COMPANIES HOME.

The members of Companies C and G of the Sixth regiment, M. V. M., of this city, arrived home from South Framingham Saturday afternoon after a most successful tour of camp duty. It was with regret that many of the soldiers left the camp grounds for despite the fact that they put in a hard week it would take more than a week to have the novelty of the affair wear off.

RAILROAD TIE-UP.

Up to eleven o'clock yesterday morning none of the cars of the Pelham, Salem and Nashua line entered this city owing to a tie-up on the road. A large cable which supplies the southern and western divisions of the New Hampshire Traction Co., just under a railroad bridge at Greenland, N. H., parted and caused the delay. It took some time to repair the damage and the railroad company lost several hundred dollars by the tie-up.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

WILL OBSERVE ST. JOHN'S DAY IN ELABORATE STYLE.

Pilgrim Commandery, Knights Templar of this city, assisted by commanderies from Newburyport and Haverhill, will observe St. John's day, which comes on Friday of this week, in an elaborate manner. An excellent program is being arranged for the occasion by Eminent Chancellor Herbert C. Taft of the local commandery, and his officers.

The principal features of the celebration will be a parade of the three commanderies through the principal streets of the city, followed by luncheon at the Masonic Temple, then a trolley trip to Mountain Rock grove where a big list of field day events will be conducted and a banquet served.

The Newburyport contingent under Commander Butler will be accompanied by the Newburyport band and under Commander Arnold the Haverhill knights will come with the Haverhill City band.

The visiting delegations will be met at the Middlesex street station at 10 o'clock in the morning by Pilgrim Commandery, which has engaged the American band for the day.

A line will be formed in Appleton and Chelmsford streets and the parade will move through Appleton to Central to Merrimack to the Masonic temple where a luncheon will be served.

The party will go to Mountain Rock on the electric cars.

RUSSAIN-JAPANESE WAR

(Continued.)

GEN. STAKELBERG IN TIGHT PLACE

PARIS, June 20.—A dispatch to the Echo de Paris from St. Petersburg says it is reported that Gen. Stakelberg lost 10,000 men in killed, wounded and missing while he was retreating from Vafangow. An entire division, it is said, composing his left wing, was surrounded by the Japanese and annihilated. The rest of his army got away by means of the railroad under the protection of the cavalry.

From Gen. Kuroki's headquarters in the field comes word that the Russians at Vafangow were allowed to pick their own battleground, and yet were decisively outgeneralled by the Japanese rather than outnumbered. It is asserted that the Russians had 42 battalions against 44 Japanese battalions. The Japanese had more than 200 guns.

The Russian losses at the Battle of Vafangow are reported to have been about 2000 men. About 1100 wounded, including 55 officers, have reached Liao Yang, and 38 officers and 734 wounded men Mukden. Gen. Stakelberg is obliged to retreat to the north, as the railroad is a failure when it comes to transporting an army.

AN INNER FORT TAKEN BY JAPS

CHEFOO, June 20.—There is current here a Chinese rumor that the Japanese have captured one of the inner forts of Port Arthur, losing 1000 men in the engagement. It cannot, however, be confirmed.

OKU'S VICTORY AT VAFANGOW

TOKIO, June 20.—Scouts having brought the news of the Russians massing a large army at Telissu, 28 miles north of Pulantien, evidently with the intention of attempting to force the Pitsewo-Polantien line, which forms the northern gate of the peninsula, Gen. Oku resolved to assume the offensive. He marched out of Pulantien, June 13, his right moving by Taihalo, the centre along the railway and the left by three roads, the western-most of which was Fuchau highway, while the cavalry rode on the extreme right by the road from Pitsewo to Hiyugyochin.

The Japanese columns, driving in many of the enemy's outposts, bivouacked after a march of 12 miles. All the units being at their appointed positions on the morning of the 14th, the advance was resumed, the left wing moving independently to Nanchialing, while the centre and right, preserving touch, reached the line of the Chiackiatan-Tapingkau road, 12 kilometres south of Telissu. The country is hilly and the advance was difficult.

Reconnaissance now showed the enemy holding the line from Tafangshin to Lungwingmio, in a very strong position, but with defective facilities for retreat. This disadvantage, however, was outweighed by proximity to the railway, enabling the rapid arrival of re-enforcements. The Russian fighting line consisted of 25 battalions of infantry and 17 squadrons of cavalry, with 98 guns, to which constant additions arrived later.

The Japanese forthwith advanced to the Wangkaltun-Lungkiatun-Wuklatun line, where, posting artillery, they bombarded the enemy's positions from 3 to 5 p. m. During the night the centre occupied heights west of Lafungkau, and at dawn of the 15th the right seized the heights from Lungkaitun to Wangkiatum, which were ordered held firmly without making any strong offensive movement, pending a flank movement by the Fuchau column.

The morning of the 15th was foggy, but at 5.20 a. m. it cleared sufficiently for artillery to open from the centre and right, after which the centre, advancing upon hills in the valley of the Fuchau river, encountered stout resistance.

About 9.30 a. m. the movement on the left began to develop. Infantry and artillery of the Fuchau column reached the heights to the westward of Wangkiatum, thus establishing touch with the centre, when both columns faced a heavy artillery fire, the advance steadily scaling precipitous scarps and pushing back the enemy to Tafengshin.

Meanwhile the enemy's left, heavily re-enforced by the arrival of new troops, attempted to turn the Japanese right by repeated attacks, necessitating bringing up the whole Japanese reserves, which, supplemented by timely movements of the cavalry threatening the Russian left and rear, restored the Japanese initiative.

The entire line, gaining ground simultaneously, enveloped the position of the enemy, who at 5 p. m. commenced retreat which the Japanese by withering fire converted into a rout, although the ground did not favor pursuit. The Russian casualties are unknown, but they left 600 dead on the left wing alone.

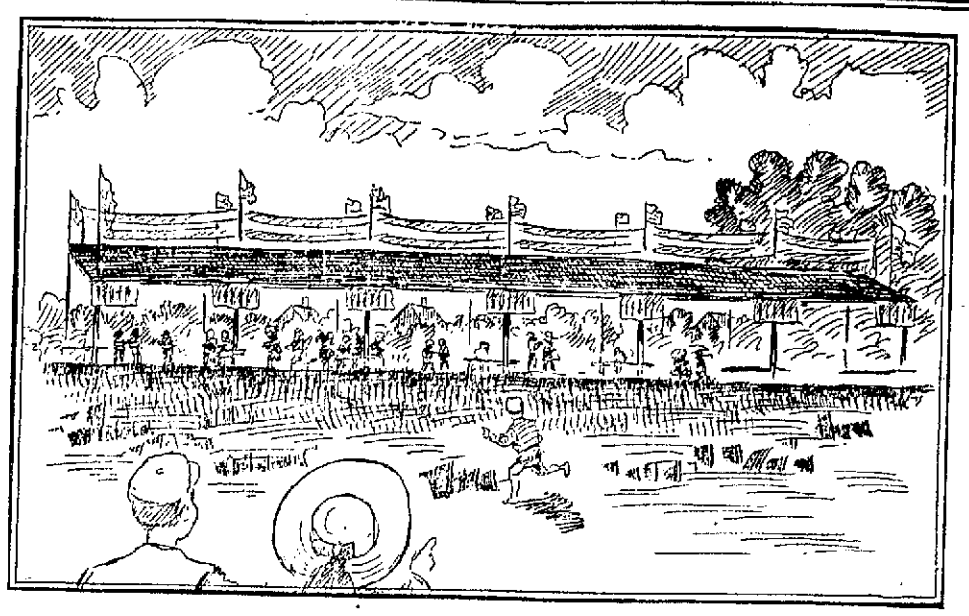
FIERCE FIGHTING AT CLOSE RANGE

LIAO YANG, June 20—At one point in the battle of Vafangow the combatants were engaged hand to hand, with stones and gun butts as weapons. In the Russian charge on a hill, the 6th company of the 3d regiment got to within 20 paces of the Japanese intrenchments. They lost all their officers and half their men.

The men lay panting under the Japanese trenches and out of range of their fire, and throw stones at them. The battle at this point became a hand-to-hand fight with stones and gun butts. The remainder of the Russians gained the shelter of a neighboring ravine, but were unable to hold the position in the face of the hail of shells and shrapnel. The Japanese heavy guns silenced the artillery supporting the Russian attack. Thirteen Russian guns were smashed to atoms and their horses killed. A majority of their gunners were killed or wounded.

The Japanese at this moment delivered their main attack. A whole division was thrown against the Russian centre and two divisions around the right flank. The Russian commander saw that he was being enveloped and rallied his reserves and retired in order.

The Russian losses total 3000, as near as can be ascertained.



THE SHELTER FOR THE CHILDREN ERECTED ON "BUNKER HILL."

CHILDREN HAPPY

Delighted With the Playground on Bunker Hill

The hearts of the little ones in Centralville who are enjoying the freedom of "Bunker Hill" have been made lighter and happier because of the good that has been done them. Despite the fact that the hill on whose summit they enjoy the gentle breezes, has always been there not until within a few days were the tired children allowed to run at random and sip from the cool spring whose sparkling water wends its way along the foot of the hill. It is an ideal spot for a playground and the cit yshould have more of them.

The shed beneath whose sheltering roof the children will find protection from the sun's rays will in a little while be supplemented by other sheds and it is the sincere wish of the promoters that the good people of Lowell, those who are able to contribute and are charitably inclined, will undo their purse string and give generously so that the play house system may be extended.

The owners of "Bunker Hill," the Richardson heirs, John, Abel and Sumner have done their part by allowing the free use of the land. The playground was opened Saturday and the occasion was one that the children in that vicinity will remember long after the 65-foot shed has been removed to make room for a more pretentious building. If there is a breeze stirring in Centralville it can be most felt on "Bunker Hill" situated between Lakeview avenue and West Sixth street. On Saturday afternoon the shed was decorated with streamers of bunting and numerous small flags and the happy children danced on the green and in the sand to music furnished by Michael Grosse's band organ. Not only will the children enjoy the playground but it will be a comfortable resting place for tired mothers and their babies whose days are spent in stuffy rooms or heated mills.

Officer Dennett who has been the chief promoter of the movement for this playground is being congratulated upon its success.

MACHINISTS VOTING

ON QUESTION THAT MAY CAUSE STRIKE.

NEW YORK, June 20—Members of the National Association of Machinists are casting a vote upon the question of enforcement of an article of the constitution, which, if decided in the affirmative, will bring about a strike on July 1 that will throw thousands of machinists out of employment.

The article was orighally adopted August 1, 1903, and provides that no member of the association shall operate more than one machine or accept work by the piece, premium, merit, task or contract system under penalty of expulsion and that in shops where such systems are in operation they must be discontinued by July 1, 1904.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

"Children's Sunday" was observed at the Second Congregational church yesterday.

The following excellent program was given:

Processional Sunday school children Scripture reading, Sunday school children; prayer, Rev. D. A. Hudson, pastor of the church; song, Sunday school children; exercises, kindergarten class; Sunbeam story, Misses Ethel Belanger and Hilda De Sayle; song and solo, primary class; recitation, Miss Flora Durant; song, Miss Mildred Foote; recitation, Miss Mary Moore; song, Sunday school; exercises, nine little girls; duet, Misses Faith Trombley and Hazel Butterfield; recitation, Miss Ruth Wotton; flower exercises, four little girls; recitation, Miss Vella Welch; song, Miss Lillian Marinell; recitation, Miss Bertha Wright; song, Sunday school boys; recitation, Miss Ethel Reno; song, church choir; exercises, Sunday school boys; recitation, Miss Arvilla Piggott.

After the collection had been taken up, remarks were made by Rev. D. A. Hudson.

St. John's Total Abstinence Society and St. John's Ladies' Temperance Auxiliary held a very enjoyable outing at Long-Sought-For Pond Saturday, about 50 going in Hanson's barge "Champion," which left the village at 9 o'clock. A very enjoyable day was put in and the party returned home at 8 o'clock. The committee from the St. John's Total Abstinence Society which had charge of the outing consisted of: Stephen T. Ward, chairman; Thomas H. Larkin, secretary; John E. Harrington, James P. Quigley and James W. O'Connell. The refreshment committee from the St. John's Ladies' Temperance Auxiliary consisted of:

Miss Mary McGrath, chairman; assistants, Misses Clara McCoy, Rosella Monahan, Rosana McManomin, Alice Riney.

On July 23 the annual picnic of St. John's parish will be held at Nahnasset and a committee on arrangements was formed yesterday with John F. McManomin, chairman and James P. Quigley, secretary.

John E. Harrington was elected general manager of the picnic.

AFTER MORE PAY

All School Teachers Will Ask For Increase

AS WELL AS THE NINTH GRADE

Teachers Ask General Grading of Their Salaries

An innocent little petition carried about town by two fair young school marms a few weeks ago has caused all sorts of ructions in school circles.

The little petition asked that the pay of the teachers of the ninth grade be increased $100 per year and it was signed by about all to whom it was presented after which it was returned to the city council.

But since that petition went along the line it has occurred to most of the teachers in the other grades that they are also in need of increases in salaries and as a result several hundred petitions are said to be in circulation calling for a general raise.

At present the salary of the teacher starts at $450 a year and goes up to $600 for teachers in the primary and elementary grades. Now comes the little petition of the ninth or highest grade asking for $100 more. Now the teachers ask that the salaries be so graded that the maximum yearly salary will be $800 for those who have seen 10 years of service; $600, $500 and $450 for those of shorter terms of service.

Petitions are now in circulation and each teacher is supposed to get the names of 50 voters. It is believed that 5000 votes can thus be raised.

Should salaries be so graded that teachers serving 10 years get an increase of $200 a year it would mean an increase of $40,000 in salaries for the first year.

BIG BARN FIRE

Did $1000 Damage on Union Street

A fire broke out in a barn in Union street yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, wich for a time threatened the immediate vicinity. When the department arrived the barn was burning fiercely, and as it is situated in what is known as "Shenandoah Valley," which is thickly populated and the buildings for the greater part being of wood, there was considerable danger of the fire communicating to these buildings. Before the flames were extinguished the fire did about $1000 damage. The building was owned by the Dwyer heirs of Boston and is leased to Mr. Peter Watson, who occupies a portion of the barn for his wagons and horses, and sub-lets the other portions to J. T. McGarvey, proprietor of the Central Cash Market and Edward Fairburn, who conducts a restaurant in Gorham street. One portion was unoccupied, the man who rented it having left there last Thursday.

The barn is really a combination of barns built together, and as the houses were so close to the building the firemen had a hard time to fight the flames.

The fire was first discovered by Mrs. Sarah Shea, who resides at 29 Union street, with her husband. She was sitting at the kitchen window when a large quantity of smoke issued from the roof of the barn. Her first act was to call to her husband, who was in the front room with Stephen Dempsey, who rushed out of the front door and went into the alley from Chapel street, and burst open the barn.

A passerby seeing the fire sounded the alarm.

Messrs. Shea and Dempsey succeeded in rescuing two horses belonging to Mr. McGarvey.

The fire started in a pile of rubbish in the unoccupied portion of the barn and suspicion for a while rested on the man who had formerly hired it, but an investigation brought out the fact that the former occupant has been in jail since Friday, so that cleared him.

In one section of the barn Mr. Watson had several sets of harnesses stored, besides a large amount of paper, boxes and other stuff while Mr. McGarvey had two horses and three wagons in the section occupied by him. All of his property was rescued before the flames reached that part of the building. Mr. Fairburn's loss will not be large. The largest loss will come on the building itself.

Chief Hoomer in conversation with a reporter of The Sun said that he had no intention of sending for Fire Marshal's Aid Casey of Haverhill, for he had a talk with Supt. Moffatt of the local police department and the latter detailed Inspectors Laflamme and Maher to look into the fire and see what they could find in regard to the cause.

LAMP KNOCKED OVER.

An alarm from box 125 at 8.20 last evening summoned a portion of the fire department to the Greek district in upper Market street, where a lamp had been pulled off a table, setting fire to the contents of the room. The occupants of the house extinguished the blaze before the department arrived, but in the meantime some excited person had pulled in an alarm.

DUMP FIRE.

Yesterday afternoon, about 2.30 o'clock, a telephone alarm was sent into the Central fire station for a dump fire at the Fair Grounds. The Gorham street house was notified and the members went to the scene of the blaze and worked strenuously for two hours before the blaze was quenched. The flames had eaten into the ground for a considerable distance and the firemen found it quite difficult to get at the fire. No serious damage resulted.

SURPRISED BY HIS FRIENDS.

William Dennett, of Read street, was very agreeably surprised Saturday evening by being presented with an umbrella. He went to a friend's house to attend what was supposed to be a committee meeting, but was hastily called home to see a man who wanted to speak to him on an urgent matter.

He hurried back to his home only to find that it was filled with ladies and gentlemen acquaintances of his. A delightful evening was spent and at an opportune time Rev. W. W. Shenk presented the umbrella to Mr. Dennett. Mr. Dennett responded with a neat speech of acceptance.

Mr. Dennett goes to Lake Erie for the summer and upon his return will start on his fourth year at Harvard college.

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Also my horse and express wagon and some furniture.
TERMS: $300 must be paid to auctioneer when struck off. Sixty per cent. can remain on mortgage.
PETER A. STANHOPE.

By J. E. Conant & Co., Auctioneers
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Friday Afternoon at 4.30 o'clock

The estate numbered 150, 152 and 154 Church street, on the northerly side of the street between George and Lawrence streets, is hereby pledged without limit or reserve of any kind whatsoever, to the highest bidder at absolute auction sale. The property comprises a two and one-half story building with a good sized store in front and a small tenement in the rear, on the ground floor. The second floor has ten rooms, divided into two tenements, and on the third floor are two finished attics. This building is a solid and substantial structure with a heavy foundation. It does need painting and papering and the ceilings need whitening—all inexpensive repairs. The building rests on a plot of land 35 feet wide and practically 95 feet deep, and containing about 3313 square feet. The location will be hard to better, for a renting investment. I am convinced that I cannot successfully run a farm in Tewksbury and look after tenement and store property, in Lowell. For this reason, and this reason only, have I instructed Mr. Conant to sell this property, no matter what it brings. The store and two of the tenements are vacant, because I am so nearly inaccessible to applicants for them. I will have the premises open the day of sale, and the purchaser of the same must deposit with or secure to the auctioneers $450 as soon as the property is struck off. The sale is to take place at the premises, at half past four o'clock in the afternoon of Friday, June 24, 1904, regardless of any condition of the weather.
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THE WEATHER
The indications are that it will be fair tonight, Tuesday fair probably followed by showers. There probably will be light variable winds.

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STAR SCHOLARS

List Given Out at High School Today

The following is a list of the star scholars as announced by Principal Cyrus W. Irish of the High school this afternoon:

Arthur B. Barnes, Howard A. Leland, Elena M. Abbott, Ruth M. Bailey, Elsie F. Bradl, Margaret M. Cassidy, Caroline V. Cooke, Anna T. Coffey, Frances L. Donovan, Ruth L. Eaton, Marion Faulkner, Eugenie V. Frappier, Elizabeth A. Gilinson, Hazel S. Gilmore, Ray B. Gordon, Ivy L. Hands, Anna M. Higgins, Louise Lennon, May E. Lowney, Alice E. Manning, Mary Mollahan, Evelyn Ober, Anna O'Neil, Ethel Parker, Elizabeth M. Reed, Mary Emma Richardson, John C. Varney, Dexter E. Hailey, Elizabeth Spalding, Alice C. Tobin, Ethel A. Waring, Julia A. Willett, Herbert E. Burgles, Marietta L. Martin, Olive J. Palm, Mabelle A. Parker, Ruth K. Pease, Charles F. O'Neil, Ethel L. Gordon, Edith G. Greene, Bertha E. Holmes, Cora E. Jones, Robert Watson, Mildred L. Brennan, Millie A. Severance, Dora B. Sherburne, Margaret M. Snow, Mary Spalding, Mary D. Stone, Gertrude K. Teague, Helen M. Whitcomb, Vera M. Wood, Joseph E. Sargent, Laura A. Coburn, Ivah M. Connol, Mary B. Cove, Corinne H. Emerson, Isabelle Fairbank, Edith T. Sanborn, Carl L. Braun, Harold P. Conklin, Ulric Courtemarche, Helen W. Barnes, Ethel C. Blodgett, Mary H. Collins, Sadie A. Connor, Kathleen E. Driscoll, Mabelle A. Dwyer, Richard M. Elliott, Vera B. Flanders, Alice M. Gallagher, Charles F. Hobson, Perley W. Kimball, James R. Nutter, Marie D. Lavoie, Frances W. Masterson, Helen A. Morey, Anna C. O'Donoghue, James F. Reynolds, Norman B. Sherburne, Ola M. Sargent, Miriam Savage, Mary W. Sawyer, Millian Shapiro, Leona M. Small, Loren H. Wainwright, Harold E. Waring, Frank S. Whitcomb, Helen T. Harrimon, Julia M. Driscoll, Esther Elliott, Edith C. Erskine, Catherine Faulkner, Ruth A. Gegenheimer, Anna G. Gray, Hazel Hanchett Richard Cheney, Walter B. Gibson, Florence Fairburn, Marietta F. Hogan, Dorothy Q. Kinney, Georgia S. Libby, Pearl G. Macrae, Mildred Marshall, Hannah E. Moers, Louise Naylor, Catherine O'Donnell, Fannie E. Pickles, Martha G. Roarke, Pearl L. Rollins, Zilpha Roper, Beatrice Ryan, Mary Seery, Helen Thomas, Frederic Robson, Harold Scribner, Sidney Spalding, Frank Talbot, Lionel Udell, Holman Waring, Phineas Whiting, Forrest L. Wiggin, Grace Thomas, Vera Thomson, Gladys Whitmore, Ida Wolfson, Fred Mozley, Ruby Robson, Grace A. Schermerhorn, William L. Constantineau, Ira Goldthwaite, Harry H. Charlton, Harry L. Pilkington, Amy A. Boss, Ada M. Clark, Gertrude E. Orrell, Robert Hemman, Harriet Kew, Bertha Leet, Grace I. Aspinall, Florence A. Chamberlain, Cornelius J. O'Neil, May B. Powers, Pearl O. Robson, Marion Rosander, Rose E. M. Therlault, Annie M. Youngjohns.

MANY OFFENDERS

Disposed of by Judge Hadley in Court Today

Judge Hadley, after a pleasant visit at Atlantic City, returned to this city Saturday and presided in police court today. The judge is looking fresh as a daisy and says that he enjoyed his vacation immensely. He had a long line of offenders to dispose of and there were several orators in the crowd whose pleadings were familiar to the court because of the many visits paid the court by the pleaders.

There was the drunkard, the common drunkard, the man who got drunk by accident and the premeditated drunk, all in a line and in some instances the offenders endeavored to establish an excuse for "filling up."

One fellow said that life at home was not congenial because of his mother-in-law, whom he discribed as a fat, lady, jolly at times and d—— ugly at times."

Another fellow said that the templa-

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LIEUT. COM. SCRIBNER

Discharged in Roxbury Court This Morning

No Evidence on Vhich to Hold Him for the Death of Marion Holder

BOSTON, June 20.—Lieut.-Commander Edward H. Scribner of the U. S. navy was discharged today in the Roxbury district court on the charge of manslaughter in having caused the death of a Roxbury child by running over her with an automobile, the victim of the accident, which occurred on Memorial day, was Marion Holder, the six-year-old daughter of Herbert L. Holder.

The officer pleaded not guilty when arraigned in court on May 31 and the case was continued until today. On Saturday an inquest into the death of the Holder child was conducted by Justice Brown and although no statement was made in court today, it is understood that Judge Bolster who presided ordered the discharge of the defendant because of the evidence offered at the inquest. Lieut. Scribner voluntarily offered at the inquest to give his version of the accident which is that his automobile was proceeding slowly through the street when the Holder child ran in front of the wheels so quickly that he was unable to stop the machine in time to avoid striking her. When the case was called today, the court ordered that the officer be discharged at once without the formality of a hearing on the ground that there was no cause for holding him longer.

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STEPPED ON NAIL.

Edward Dugane, residing at 5 Phoebe avenue and employed by Geo. H. Staples, while at work this morning, stepped on a nail, the nail going through his shoe and penetrating his foot. He was taken to the Emergency hospital, where his foot was dressed.

Miss McAnaney of Tyler street is obliged to leave Lowell because of ill health. She hopes to be able to return in October.

JAPS LOST SHIPS

In the Raid of the Russian Vladivostok Fleet

Fierce Fighting at Vafangow in Which Japanese Won a Great Victory—Report That an Inner Fort at Port Arthur Has Been Taken—Gen. Stakelberg Cornered

LONDON, June 20.—Complete reports show that five Japanese ships were sunk during the remarkable raid of the Vladivostok squadron.

The results of the raid have caused anger and indignation in Japan, and feeling is running high against Kamimura for failing to capture or destroy the Russian vessels.

RUSSIANS BURIED ON BATTLEFIELD

TOKIO, June 20—2.15 p.m.—General Oku reports that he buried 1516 Russian dead on the field after the battle of Vafangow and then the work was incomplete. The natives say that the Russians themselves buried and also carried away many of their dead.

RUSSIA'S OFFER FOR SIX CRUISERS

ST. PETERSBURG, June 20—2 p.m.—It is definitely established that negotiations for the purchase by Russia of six Argentine cruisers had almost reached a successful conclusion when Argentine raised the question as to under what flag they would be transferred, she being unwilling to sell direct to either belligerent. The medium through which the negotiations were conducted suggested that they be transferred to Venezuela or Bulgaria which would turn them over to Russia, but President Roca rejected the proposal, insisting that a bona fide maritime power should be the purchaser.

Then Turkey began negotiations through the Argentine legation at Paris. The result of these negotiations is not known.

Commander Moneta has arrived here on his way to the far east to observe the operations for the Argentine navy. General Reynolds of the Argentine army, who had been ordered to join General Kuropatkin is ill in Sweden.

ANOTHER ATTACK BY JAPANESE FLEET

LIOA YANG, June 20.—A correspondent of the Associated Press who spent the night at Hnichen, reports having heard heavy firing to the southward and believes it to have been either an attack upon Tashi Chiao or the Japanese fleet again bombarding the coast near Kaping. The fire continued from 1 o'clock at night until the morning. The cause of it yet has not been obtained. Heavy rain is falling here.

VICEROY ALEXIEFF MADE A KNIGHT

ST. PETERSBURG, June 20.—The Patriarch of Jerusalem has appointed Viceroy Alexieff a Knight of the True Cross and has sent to the viceroy the decoration, containing a piece of the true cross with a letter expressing the hope that it will preserve him from all harm and enable him to come out victorious in his fight for the Orthodox church.

PEASANT REFORMS

TAKEN UP BY PROVINCIAL COMMITTEE.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 20—The St. Petersburg provincial consultative committee, summoned by the emperor to discuss peasant reforms, assembled here today. The most important question regarding what the opinion of the committee was, was whether the communal customs should remain in force or the statute law be applied. Other provincial committees have already discussed the question, a minority of them favoring the abolition of the common law. The opinions of St. Petersburg committee is expected to exercise great weight in the decision of the matter.

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MANY GRADUATES

Several Hundred Public School Pupils Received Diplomas

Hundreds of boys and girls were awarded diplomas at the different grammar schools of the city today. In all but two of the schools graduation exercises were held and were attended by large numbers of the parents and friends of the young people. The program as carried out at the different schools will be found below.

EDSON SCHOOL.

Graduating exercises were held at the Edson school this afternoon and were largely attended. The interior of the principal's room and the school rooms were tastefully decorated and the children were charmingly attired.

The following program was carried out:

Present at the exercises were a large number of friends of the graduating class, besides many former graduates of the school. Principal Calvin W. Burbank, Assistant Principal Miss Mary Webster and the other teachers of the school occupied seats at the exercises, and met many former attendants at the old school.

Singing, "Summer."
Class.
Declamation "To Bunker Hill Monument."
Joseph M. Donoghue.
Concert recitation—"The Worship of Nature."
Girls.
Recitation—"One, Two and Three."
Alice Kaler.
Declamation—"Abou Ben Adhem."
George Harrington.
Declamation—"We Honor Our Country."
John McQuade.
Essay—"The History of Our Flag."
Katherine Devine.
Recitation—"Betsy's Battle Flag."
Rose Geary.
Singing—"The Star Spangled Banner."
Class.
Reading—"Mending the Flag."
Bessie Abbott.
Declamation—"The Army of Peace."
William O'Connell.
Recitation—"Spring Flowers."
Lena Hellwell, Mary Coyle.
Ella Thorpe.
Singing—"The Bluebells of Scotland."
Class.
Declamation—"The Ship of State."
Arthur Gendron.
Recitation—"The Common Chord."
Mary Quirbach.
Declamation—"Gen. Grant's Claims to Fame."
Arthur Kinsela.
Piano solo—"The Storm King."
Addie Flynn.
Recitation—"The School Celebration."
Mary Roone.
Semi-Chorus—"Stars of the Summer Night."
May Blomberg, Alice Kaler, Bessie Abbott, Joseph Donoghue, Thomas Leary, Arthur Kinsela.
Essay—"Famous Old Trees."
Mary Murningham.
Declamation—"Gen. Grant's Courage and Decision."
Thomas Leary.
Essay—"Henry W. Longfellow."
Gertrude Williamson.
Recitations from Longfellow's Poems. "Evening" from "Evangeline."
Annabell McLaughlin.
"The Childrens' Hour."
Josephine Wren.
"The Builders."
May Blomberg.
Presentation of Diplomas by the subcommittee.
Wm. W. Duncan.
Farewell song.
Class.

Graduating class: Alice Mae Kaler, Adelaide Gertrude Flynn, Elizabeth Grace Abbott, Mary Genevieve Murningham, May Genevieve Blomberg, Mary Magdaline Roane, Katherine Genevieve Dewire, Gertrude Lillian Williamson, Mary Esther Quirbach, Mary Emma Cassidy, Rose Constance Geary, Mary Veracunda Coyle, Helen Veracunda Thorpe, Annabelle Josephine McLaughlin, Josephine Cecilia Wrenn, Eleanor Hellwell, Arthur Raymond Gendron, Arthur James Kinsela, Thomas Edward Leary, Joseph Michael Donoghue, John Alexander McQuade, William Joseph O'Connell, George William Harrington.

GREEN SCHOOL.

The graduating exercises of the Green grammar school in Merrimack street were held this afternoon at two o'clock in the spacious hall on the top floor of the building. The attendance was very large, the students of the school, together with their relatives were present, while many former pupils of the school were in attendance.

The following program was carried out to the enjoyment of those present:

Piano solo
Lillian Goodwin.
Chorus Junalia
Recitation, Bells of Atri
Ella Secord.
Quartet, Morning Invitation
Nettie Studley, Nellie Fairweather, Rena Landers, Elnora Clifford, Pianist, Mary Ort.
Declamation, A New South
Frank Wood.
Solo, The Swallows
Nellie Studley.
Semi-Chorus.
Stars of the Summer Night

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TRIED TO SUICIDE

Insane Woman Jumped Into Concord River

Sarah Abbott, an insane woman residing at 3 Mellen's yard tried to commit suicide by jumping into the Concord river near her home yesterday afternoon. She was fished out by neighbors and today was removed to the city farm.

DROPPED DEAD

JUDGE SMITH WAS WELL KNOWN JURIST.

LEXINGTON, Ky., June 20.—Judge J. Soule Smith, attorney, jurist and a prominent Mason in the United States, dropped dead at his home here today of heart disease. He had held nearly every office of honor in the Masonic fraternity. He was a writer for years in newspapers and magazines, under the nom de plume of "Falcon."

WAS NOT LENNON

Body Found in Lawrence Canal Identified

The decomposed body of a man which was found in the north canal, Lawrence Friday afternoon was identified early this afternoon by Miss Hannah Thornton. The name of the dead man is Thomas Graney, a resident of this city.

The identification was brought about by the accurate description published in the papers. Miss Thornton who knew the man and who saw him for the last time, Monday morning, June 12, identified him by his clothing.

Graney leaves a wife, two sons, and a daughter who reside "across the Spicket." He did not live with his family, however, and until two weeks ago resided at the boarding house, 201 Essex street. Since the time of his leaving that place, up to the time of his death he resided with Mrs. oJhn Tarrant, 122 Elm street.

The deceased's daughter is married to a man named Hurley. Graney had been unemployed for some time. He was a laborer by occupation.

Whether death was due to accident or suicide has not yet been determined.

Messrs. Bernard F. Rourke, Frank A. Finnegan, Edward F. Heelon and R. J. McClusky are home from Holy Cross college.

Talpey Benner of Lowell is visiting relatives in Concord, N. H., on his way to Lost Cabin, Wyoming, where he will engage in ranching.

Miss Kittie A. Graham of Orleans street is visiting in Portland, Me., but later will go to Scotstown, Can., and return to this city about Sept. 1.

FOUND—At Highland Council picnic, Willow Dale, June 16th, a lady's sack. Call at Zimmer's, 28 Middle st.

EXTRA

FAIRBANKS LEADS

SENATOR FAIRBANKS.

Republicans Favor Him for Vice President

Indiana Senator Refuses to Make Fight—Henry C. Payne Made Chairman of National Committee—Territories are Making Strong Fight for Home Rule

CHICAGO, June 20.—Forenoon trains today brought in the stragglers and the ranks of nearly all the state delegations have been filled. With the arrival of delayed delegates were eliminated all obstacles to the holding of caucuses. State headquarters were sought and the program of the day ascertained. It developed that most of the caucuses would be held late in the day or tonight and nothing remained to the new comers but to take their places in the hotel lobbies and discuss the absence of contest, the inactivity of delegations and the small attendance. Fog hung over the city at dawn but this was dissipated by the sun which drove back clouds and left a cheerful day. It is a day which would draw the crowds to the open lobbies and the sidewalks without even the game of politics for a magnet. But despite all this the picture is not yet recognizable as a true convention scene. In the corridors of the principal hotels, where the states have established headquarters is missed the buzz of conversation proceeding from councils behind closed doors; pass groups of national figures and one hears the laugh which follows a story well told. The utter absence of sharp political work is noticeable and forces the realization that "Everything is fixed."

Of the absentees is the man who has attended every republican convention since Lincoln was nominated, but that is only another illustration of the quietness of the convention. Some importance is attached to an alleged decision of Senator Fairbank's probable reasons for declining to talk about the vice-presidency and of the wisdom of his reticence. Were it not for the gossip he has furnished and the little flurry aroused by the possibility of tariff revision and reciprocity creeping into the resolutions in a form obnoxious to "Stand patters" policies would be a dead letter in the republican convention this year. Though most of the state delegates arrived today and the convention begins tomorrow the halls are not crowded. They are not even well filled. With no contest for first place on the ticket and apparently none for the second, no occasion exists for marching clubs of enthusiastic shouting thousands headed by bands, nor for other organizations which customarily add to the din, the blare and the excitement of a convention. They are not needed and they are not here. One square from the lake front hotels, the only sign of action is a straggler of adventurous turn who is known as a delegate by the badge planed to his lapel.

Among the arrival were 24 delegates

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FIVE FINE GEESE

STOLEN FROM CHARLIE CREVIER'S CAMP—HEADS LEFT.

Charlie Crevier, the well known blacksmith of this city, was the maddest man in three counties yesterday.

Charlie has a camp and little farm at Long-Sought-for-Pond and among his livestock were five fine fat geese, which he kept in a coop in the pond near the water's edge. Those geese were the pride of the neighborhood and they were fat enough each to fit on a corporation boarding house table.

Charlie looked at them about 10 o'clock Saturday night and as he contemplated them snugly slumbering like five big balls of down his mouth watered at the savory feeds yet to come. But how different in the morning. At daybreak yesterday Charlie was up and around and his first thought was to feed the geese and procuring the necessary food repaired to the coop, where, after he had recovered from the shock given him he found five heads but no bodies, thieves having come in the night and chopping the heads off the five birds had decamped with the bodies.

DEATHS

BUSHEE—Mary Bushee died at 2 Fox's yard, off Davidson street, Sunday. The body was removed to the funeral parlors of Undertaker Charles H. Molloy in Market street and afterwards to her brother's home at 118 Chapel street. She is survived by a husband, four children, two sisters and two brothers.

O'HARA—Catherine A. O'Hara, well known in this city, died this morning at her home in East Chelmsford. She leaves to mourn her loss a husband, John W., three sons, William F., Thomas H., and Benjamin F., and a daughter, Miss Grace M.; also three brothers, William, Jeremiah and Michael F.

OPENSHAW—Martha R. Openshaw, aged eight years, died Saturday at the home of her grandmother, 102 Perry street.

O'GRADY—Richard O'Grady, aged 34 years, died this morning at his late home, 378 Adams street. He is survived by a wife, Mary, a daughter, Alice, and two brothers, Francis and Henry.

6 O'CLOCK

687 BODIES FOUND

But Many Others Still to be Recovered

NEW YORK, June 20.—All along the East river from Brother Island down to Hell Gate, search was made today for bodies of victims of the Slocum disaster. Although 622 bodies had been recovered last night, reports from the first few minutes of work today added five more to the total. These were found at widely separated points and the searchers were of the opinion that before the day ended the list of missing would be considerably decreased. They believe that the big steamers and other draft will so stir up the water as to cause the bodies lying along the bed of the river to rise to the surface.

Wreckers at work on the Slocum today encountered new difficulties. Instead of the hull resting in mud, as they thought they found that it rested on rocks which were never known to exist. This they say will delay the work somewhat.

WITNESSES SUMMONED.

More than 200 witnesses have been summoned to appear at the inquest which was scheduled to be given before Coroner Byer. It also was planned to have present an assistant United States district attorney and a stenographer, with instructions from the department of justice to take all the testimony offered. As fast as the notes are transcribed the evidence will be examined by United States District Attorney Burnett who will in turn forward the evidence, together with his opinion thereon, to the department.

"If the evidence warrants it," said General Burnett today, "I shall not wait until the end of the inquest before moving in the matter. If the evidence is strong enough the federal grand jury will consider certain phases of the cases long before the inquest has closed." In addition to the interest which the department of justice was taking in the inquest, H. K. Smith, the legal representative of Secretary Cortelyou of the department of commerce and labor, was under instructions to keep that department thoroughly advised as the inquest progresses. It was expected that striking facts would be brought out at the inquest for, in addition to the proof that the life preservers were rotten, that the fire hose burst, that the life boat davits would not work and that the life rafts were so fastened to the decks that they could not be removed, Coroner Byer is said to have evidence that many of the ring life preservers were so heavy that they sank like lead. Two bodies were found on the bottom of the river, and with these ring preservers around them. Another charge which the coroner is to investigate is one to the effect that a portion of the guard rail to which four bodies were found clinging when it was raised from the bottom of the river yesterday was rotten and worm-eaten.

Several more bodies were recovered during the forenoon, some of them in the vicinity of the wreck of the Slocum. There are four divers at work near North Brother island searching for bodies.

MANY MORE BODIES.

One diver reports that at a depth of 95 feet he has discovered a large hollow in which he says there are a great many bodies.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

A resident of Jersey City, named Workman, who lost two daughters in the disaster, went home last night and shot himself in the head, dying almost instantly. He had visited the scene of the wreck and later attended memorial services. The suicide was not reported until today.

BURNED TO DEATH

Two Lives Lost in Fire in Cleveland

CLEVELAND, O., June 20—Two persons were burned to death and six others injured in a fire that partially destroyed a saloon and boarding house here today. Twelve or 15 persons were asleep in the building when the fire broke out. When the inmates were aroused the place was wrapped in flames and men and women jumped from the windows in order to escape. The origin of the fire is unknown.

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SPEEDY RUN

MADE BY THE KAISER WILHELM II.

PLYMOUTH, ENG., June 20.—The average speed of the North German steamer Wilhelm II, which arrived here at 1.17 this morning, for the 3112 miles from Sandy Hook lightship to Eddystone lighthouse was 23.53 knots per hour, as compared with the 23.51 knots of the Deutchland, of the Hamburg American line. While the latter's total time over the long distance route is still 53 minutes shorter than the time just occupied by the Kaiser Wilhelm yesterday she actually did not travel so fast, because she ran only 3082 miles, 30 less than the Kaiser Wilhelm, which was fitted with larger propeller blades, prior to leaving Germany on her last westward trip. The Kaiser Wilhelm yesterday had made her best day's run June 18, when she covered 564 miles.

LOWELL WOMAN

INJURED IN THE ACCIDENT AT PLYMOUTH, N. H.

Among those injured in a railroad accident at Plymouth, N. H., today was Mrs. C. H. Nelson of this city. Mrs. Nelson was crushed against one of the seats in the passenger coach and was badly bruised. Her injuries are not serious.

LEITER WILL

WIDOW AND CHILDREN GET THE PROPERTY.

WASHINGTON, June 20.—The will of Levi Z. Leiter, the Chicago millionaire who died at Bar Harbor, Me., last week, was filed today with the register of wills in this city. It is dated June 1, names Mary T. Leiter and Jos. Leiter, his widow and son, as executors and they together with his daughters, Nancy Lathrop Carver Leiter and Marguerite Hyde Leiter and Seymour Morris of Chicago, are designated as trustees. The witnesses are his lawyers, Walter V. R. Berry and Benjamin S. Minor and H. B. Rowland, of this city. The will leaves one-third of the estate outside of specific reservations of coal lands in Illinois, to the widow and the rest is left for equal distribution among the children. There is nothing in the will which indicates the total value of Mr. Leiter's estate.

DIED OF CANCER.

CHICAGO, June 20.—Mrs. Orrin W. Potter, wife of a Chicago millionaire, is dead of cancer at the family summer home, at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin.

DEATHS

FAY—The funeral of Michael Joseph Fay took place yesterday afternoon from his late home, 167 Jewett street, at 2.30. The bearers were William Hunt, John Palfrey, Daniel Callahan, Michael Conaton, Thomas Kennedy and John Lanham. The interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Rev. Fr. Shaw of St. Michael's church. The funeral was under the direction of Undertaker Savage.

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GEN. BELL DEFIANT

Would Put State Under Martial Law

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., June 20.—In response to a telegram from an eastern newspaper asking for a statement from him as to whether he said that Governor Peabody would soon have to declare the whole of Colorado in a state of rebellion and put the state under martial law, Adjutant General Bell has replied as follows:

"The alleged interview is absolutely without foundation. I not only never gave out such an interview, but the idea is absolutely foreign to my mind under the past and present conditions.

"There is no need of directing Colorado under martial law and all insurrections will be dealt with accordingly. "I do not believe that this will ever be necessary. In my judgment the Colorado labor troubles are at an end.

"We have been making the fight for the whole of the U. S., as the western federation of miners has been receiving financial support and other assistance from the country at large. Colorado is looking to other states to follow suit."

HORRIBLY TREATED

LABOR LEADER TELLS OF MINERS' SUFFERINGS.

DENVER, Col., June 20.—Replying to an inquiry from an eastern newspaper as to the justification, if any, for the reported assertion of General Bell that the state of Colorado would be placed under martial law, if such a move became necessary, Secretary Haywood, of the western federation of miners sent the following message:

"No, there is nothing in the situation to justify the prediction of General Sherman Bell, unless perchance the people become aroused over the awful torture inflicted upon innocent victims confined in the bull pens and the relentless, cruel war being waged against women and children."

UNITED IRISH LEAGUE

DECIDES TO TROLLEY TO THE BEACH AUGUST 4.

The United Irish League met last evening and transacted considerable business.

It was voted to hold the annual picnic at Revere Beach on the first Thursday in August, the electric cars to be used for transportation.

The committee reported having conferred with the board of trade of Revere and secured the entertainment privilege accorded last year which will entitle every member of the party to a ticket for some show on the beach. It may be the Johnstown Flood, Darkness and Dawn, The Old Mill or something else.

The matter of choosing delegates to the convention in New York was temporarily laid over.

Michael A. Lee gave a recitation and Patrick Connolly made a statement of the rapid progress being made in the transfer of land to the tenants under the new land act.

The meeting adjourned to meet in Shattuck hall next Sunday evening when the election of officers will take place.

FUNERALS

RICHARDSON—The funeral services of J. Claude Richardson were held Saturday afternoon at the Varnum cemetery, Rev. F. I. Kelley officiating. Undertakers Young & Co. had charge of the burial, which was in the Varnum cemetery.

NICHOLS—The funeral services of Sarah L. Nichols were held Saturday at her residence, 320 Wilder street, Rev. C. T. Billings being the officiating clergyman. The body was sent to Fitchburg, Mass., for burial by Undertaker Currier.

FAY—The funeral of Miss Agnes Maude Fay took place from her late residence at 105 Nesmith street yesterday afternoon. Rev. Dr. A. St. John Chambre, rector of St. Anne's, of which church Miss Fay was a member, read the Episcopal service. The funeral was private, only the closest friends of the lamented young lady being present. The pall bearers were: Jas. F. Corbett, Esq., Arthur H. H. Hosford, Charles W. Stott, Frederick B. Emerson, George S. Motley and Harry Pollard. J. B. Currier had general charge of the funeral arrangements.

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GREAT SUCCESS

PICNIC OF LADIES' AUXILIARY, A. O. H.

A picnic was held at Mountain Rock grove, Saturday afternoon under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians of this city. The affair was a grand success both from a social and a financial standpoint, the attendance being very large, nearly all of the members of the different local divisions of the Hibernians together with friends being present.

From 12.55 the electric cars ran to the grove every 15 minutes.

At the grounds different sports were indulged in, the feature of the afternoon being a ball game between the Buffaloes and the A. G. C.'s and the former won the game.

The success of the party was due to the zealous and untiring work of the following efficient corps of officials:

General manager, Nora T. Reardon; assistant, Katie J. Goggin. Dancing was in charge of Floor Director Bridget L. Gaynor, Assistant Annie O'Connor, Aids Margaret Gaffney, Mary A. Jennings, Annie McKenna, Katie V. Lynch, Nellie Gaffney. Refreshments were in charge of Matron Mrs. M. O'Connor, Assistant Margaret V. Hickey. Aids Mamie Sheridan, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. Armsted, Kate and Sarah Conway, Annie Vaughn, Alice and Josie Cuff, Rose Curran, Delia Conway, Nora Kearns, Katie Sheridan, Mary Kenny. Secretary Annie Cassidy assisted by Margaret Buckley. Tonic and lemonade tables were in charge of Brother Maurice O'Connor, assisted by Nellie Sheehy and Katie Reardon.

OFFICERS ELECTED

BY THE CHARITIES AND CONVENTION CONFERENCE.

At the convention of the Charities and Correction conference today, the following officers for the year were elected at the morning business session as follows: President, Dr. S. G. Smith, St. Paul, Minn.

Vice presidents, Thos. M. Mulry, New York, Freeman Gowen, Portland, Mr. Simms, San Francisco.

General secretary, Alexander Johnson, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Vice, Joseph P. Byers of Philadelphia, who declined to serve.

The only change in the assistant secretaries was the election of Mrs. Clara G. Moulton of Chicago, in place of W. M. Cooper of Atlanta, Ga.

Of the seven appointive members of the executive committee F. H. Nibecker of Glen Mills, Pa., was the only one re-appointed. The others were Geo. L. Schon, Louisville; Jos. P. Byers, Philadelphia; P. D. Hurley, Chicago; Judge L. T. Kimme, Des Moines, Ia., Mr. Rubobitz, Chicago; T. H. Fox, Plainfield, N. J.

The chairmen of committees were appointed as follows:

Reports from states, Alexander Johnson, Fort Wayne; needy families in their homes, Jas. F. Jackson, Cleveland, Ohio; children, Chas. D. Hilles, Hastings, N. Y.; juvenile courts and probation system, Hon. Ben. B. Lindsey, Denver, Col.; day nurseries, Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, New York city; defectives, Dr. H. A. Tomlinson, St. Peter, Minn.; treatment of criminals, J. A. Leonard, Mansfield, Ohio; public dependants, Geo. S. Wilson, Washington, D. C.; neighborhood improvement, Miss Louise Montgomery, Buffalo, N. Y.; training for social workers, Prof. Graham Taylor, Chicago; care of the sick, Nathan Ryer, New York; warfare against tuberculosis, Edward T. Devine, New York; visiting and nursing, Miss Jane Elizabeth Hitchcock, New York.

The state correspondents were all re-elected.

SAW THE MILLS

FILIPINO DELEGATES IN FALL RIVER.

FALL RIVER, Mass., June 20.—The delegation of prominent Filipinos, who are making a tour of this country at the expense of the U. S. government, arrived in this city on the New York this morning, accompanied by their escort. The party had breakfast on board the boat, after being joined by a delegation of citizens, including prominent manufacturers headed by Mayor Grimes, spent the forenoon in visiting M. C. D. Borden's iron works mills, the American Printing company, Marshall's hat factory, and the King Philip and Stevens mills. A short drive through the residential part of the city was followed by an informal reception and luncheon at the Quequechan club. The party proceeded to Boston on an afternoon train.

CAPT. SAWYER DEAD.

PORTLAND, Me., June 20—Capt. Whitman Sawyer, chairman of the state board of prison inspectors, died today, aged 65 years. He had represented this city at the state legislature and served as councilman and alderman, holding the position of chairman of the latter board. He was made a captain of Co. C at Bridgeton, which he recruited for the 30th Maine regiment in the civil war.

MANY OFFENDERS

(Continued)

tion to drink was so strong that he could not hold out against it, but if allowed to go he would try a new tack which he thought would queer the temptation. When asked why he hadn't gone on the new tack before he said he didn't think of it until this morning.

He said he couldn't explain but would draw it on paper if the court so desired. It was a ten to one shot that the rats were nibbling at the spare ribs in his belfry and he was shipped to the workhouse where there are none too select to do a crazy man homage. He wanted to know if he would have to walk to the workhouse. He was told that he could ride.

"I haven't got the price," he said. "You don't need it," replied the deputy, "the carriage will call for you at about 2 o'clock."

"Fine and dandy," said the man in the dock. "It will seem like old times to ride in a carriage and I'd rather go to the workhouse than to the jail. If a fellow can bat at all he can make a home run at the farm and if the ball goes over the left field fence it's a cinch for a home run."

After the man sentenced to the workhouse had finished his little speech on home runs the common drunkard had his inning. "Your honor," he said, "there is a cause for everything and my case does not prove the exception. I confess, your honor, that I have been drinking steadily for several weeks. There was a time when I didn't drink: when I went home from work and frolicked with the little ones who bore my name. My wife was faithful for years and I loved her with all my heart. Her smiles inspired me and her kind words assisted me in braving the storm of life. We were happy and the prattle of the little ones that played about us was music to our ears. But, there came a day when a cloud darkened our home and when it entered, joy and happiness fled. My wife fell from grace. It's a sad, sad story, your honor and ——," "That man never was married," said the arresting officer and the common drunkard, alias romancer, was told to sit down.

HE WAS SEEING THINGS.

A few short weeks ago, Mark Donlan, made things lively in Central street. He was being chased by the devil that follows in the wake of a prolonged debauch and he was surrounded by all the reptiles of the orient. He was arrested and appeared in police court. Mark promised the court at that time that he would give whiskey, rum, gin and everything else that contained a particle of alcohol the go-by. He said he had seen all the snakes and devils that he wanted to see and he was sure that the flowing bowl would have no further charm for him. It may be that Mark meant just what he said and if he did, it was but the weakness of human flesh that found him in the vicinity of Tilden street yesterday fighting devils and uncoiling snakes. Wild Indians, rail-in-the-face, snow-on-the-head, hail-in-the-eyes and all big Indians from the old Merrimack reservation were chasing him and Mark was putting up a very game fight. The lamp post, in his estimation was the worst indian in the bunch, and he pounded the poor little post right and left, with the result that Mark's hand was very tired and sore when the patrol wagon pulled up and a very polite police officer invited Mark to ride. Mark didn't have any objections to offer and he stepped into the wagon as lightly as a boy from a springboard. At the police station, however, he decided that he would not leave the wagon and he put up a very strenuous kick. It required the services of three stalwart officers to put Mark where he belonged. In police court this morning his case was considered and he was sentenced to the workhouse for a term of six months.

AN UNWORTHY HUSBAND.

Austin H. Keliher was charged with failing to provide lawful and reasonable support for his minor child and pleaded guilty. It will be remembered that The Sun a few weeks ago published a story that had to do with a man who deserted his wife and children in Tilden street. It was Austin Keliher and he took his place among men in police court today without a quiver or a blush. He left his wife with a three-weeks' old baby and two other children to care for. The poor woman, after the cupboard was bare and the last stick of wood burned, went to the mill and applied for work. She fainted in the mill and was taken back to her cheerless home suffering with chills and fever. Later, through the instrumentality of Agent Richardson of the Humane society, she was removed to the hospital. Today she was in police court and she told Judge Hadley that her husband had not contributed a cent to her support or the support of their children for nine weeks. "I am afraid of him," she said. "He told me he would kill me if I brought an officer into the house to arrest him." Keliher was fined $20, to be paid to his wife and put under $100 bonds to keep the peace for six months.

WIFE JOLLIED HIM.

Edward Leblen, wearing a summer suit and a jaunty cap, quite up-to-date, pleaded guilty to a complaint charging him with failing to provide proper support for his wife. He confessed that he had not given his wife any money for three years, but he had an excuse and that excuse was about as fat as a match. He said that he was willing to support her if she would stop jollying him. "A man can't work all day and be jollied at night," he said to the court. "She used to keep me awake nights jollying me and I couldn't stand it. I will do the right thing if she will give me a chance." It was the third time that Leblen had been before the court for non-support and he told the same story every time. He was let off on probation twice and failed to live up to the provisions of his probation. He was sentenced to three months in jail.

ANOTHER NON-SUPPORT CASE.

Archibald M. Goodwin, charged with drunkenness, was fined $10 and was ordered in $100 to keep the peace for six months.

TOOK CORN AND OATS.

Gregory O'Copnor was charged with the larceny of three bushels of oats and three bushels of corn the property of Edmund Fairburn. He failed in an endeavor to make the court believe that he meant all right and was fined $12.

TO PROTECT HIS GOOD NAME.

Dennis Keefe was charged with assault and battery on complainant unknown. He pleaded guilty and when asked to explain his action, said: "He told my wife that he saw me in the stone quarry with another woman, my sister-in-law. I wasn't there at all and I didn't want him to be telling lies about me. That is why I hit him. Dennis was fined $13.

FOR DRUNKENNESS.

Mary Courtney, workhouse, one month; Cornelius Sullivan, workhouse, two months; Frank Gill, workhouse, four months; Mary Farley, workhouse, four months; Michael J. Hoar, common jail, three months; Charles Elston was fined $12; Patrick Miles, Mary J. Bailey, Celia Plumpton and James Murray were fined $6 each.

Patrick J. Sheridan was fined $5. Nine first offenders were fined $2 each and two were released.

EVANS AND BUGBEE

Two "Desperation" Candidates for Street Superintendent

In desperation over their ineffectual attempts to get a republican in to succeed Supt. Beals the republican machine politicians now announce that George C. Evans and D. Web. Bugbee are candidates for the position of superintendent of streets.

The claim has been previously made that there were no republican candidates and thus the republicans were afforded an excuse to vote for Crowley and several republicans to whom they went to jump into the breach to help them out having turned them down they turn in their desperation to Beals and Bugbee, the latter being the assistant superintendent of sewers who was appointed from the civil service list recently.

Evans is a candidate who never could get any support from the machine when he was a candidate and Bugbee only one week ago before he was mentioned as a candidate for first place was at City Hall working in the interest of Crowley.

Thus it would appear that the republican machinists are on their last legs and tomorrow night's meeting of the common council when Mr. Crowley's name comes up again will be watched with interest.

EMPEROR'S CUP

WAS WON BY THE YAWL VALDERA.

HELIGOLAND, June 20.—Dr. J. G. Douglass Kerris' yawl Valdera was the winner of the race for the Emperor William cup over the course from Dover to Heligoland, which started Saturday morning. D. N Niccandros' owned by John Ferguson, was second and Richard H. Lees' yawl Wendur third, and the Kelch Cariad fourth. The schooner Ingomar, owned by Morton F. Plant of New York, was the third to reach the winning post, arriving here at 2.21 o'clock this morning, upwards of two hours ahead of the cutter Clara, but the American schooner was scratch boat and had to allow all the competitors handicaps ranging from five to nine and one-half hours.

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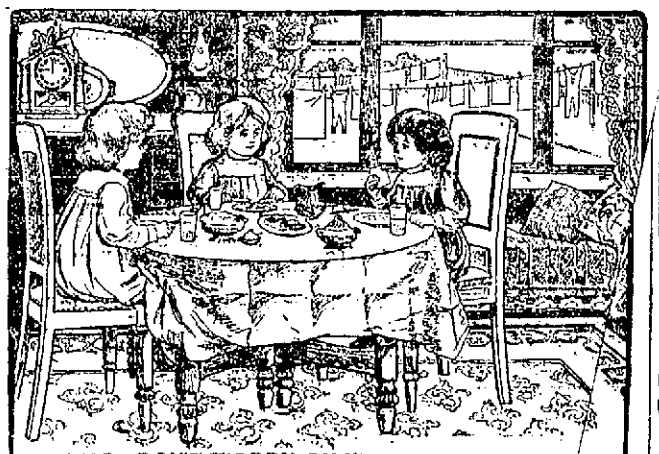

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LATEST

STATE HIGHWAY

Hearing Before the County Commissioners Today

An informal hearing that had to do with the location of the much talked of state road between Lowell and Lawrence was given by the county commissioners in their hearing room at the court house this forenoon. The survey was made eight years ago and the state is now ready to take it up. The proposed road will be one of the links, to to speak, of the state road from New Hampshire to the sea. The meeting this forenoon, although an informal one, was largely attended. The selectmen of Dracut were there together with Representatives Hayes, Pinder, O'Brien, McManmon, Timmins and Adams, ex-Representative Mahoney and many others interested in the state road question.

With the exception of one man who hailed from East Dracut the speakers, and about everyone present had something to say and were enthusiastically in favor of having the road built at as early a date as possible. The state is ready to do business if the town and county will hand out the rough grade for the foundation. The man from East Dracut, the lone remonstrant, thought the selectmen would be doing the town an injustice if they should seriously favor the promotion of the scheme to build the road from Lowell through Dracut to Lowrence. One of the men in favor of the proposition said that the man from East Dracut opposed it because as surveyed the road would not run past his back door.

The county commissioners will give a public hearing on the question, July 25, at the town office in Dracut.

FAIRBANKS LEADS

(Continued.)

from Kings county, N. Y., including ex-Lieut-Governor Timothy L. Woodruff. Two hundred and fifty-one members of the Young Men's Blaine club of Cincinnati, accompanied by a band of 50 pieces also came in and with them was Senator Foraker.

Senator Dolliver of Iowa also came in during the forenoon and joined his numerous colleagues of the upper house, which is more largely represented than at any convention in years.

Senator Fairbanks continued silence regarding the vice presidency has caused some of his strongest supporters in his own delegation to advise him to make an announcement today that he would be glad to have the nomination. A meeting of some of his friends, including Representatives Watson and Hemenway and Chairman Goodrich of the Indiana state committee, met in Senator Fairbanks' room early in the day with the object of settling whether he ought not now to say that he is a candidate. The decision will probably be communicated to the Indiana delegation which meets this forenoon.

"New York has not determined whom it will support for vice president," said Governor Odell today. "It is not pledged to Fairbanks or Cannon or Hitt. There is plenty of time to think it over and there should be an open schedule."

The New York delegation meets tonight at 9 o'clock.

SECRETARY CORTELYOU

SUMMONED TO MEET REPUBLICAN LEADERS.

NEW YORK, June 20.—Secretary Cortelyou of the department of commerce and labor will arrive in Chicago Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning. It is reported he was summoned suddenly to meet the republican leaders, it having been his previous intention not to go west until after the national convention had adjourned.

VERY PLEASANT PARTY.

Yesterday afternoon and evening a very pleasant gathering was held at the home of Miss Mary Kane, 23 Franklin street. The party was held as a reception to Miss Agnes Dudley, who left for St. John N. B., today. Miss Dudley was presented a beautiful gold locket and chain. The young lady was completely overcome but responder in a very pleasing manner.

A fine musical and literary program was carried out, consisting of: Piano duets by the Misses Kane, vocal selections by the Misses Anna Nolan, Delia Nestor, Agnes Dudley, Everelda Webster and Helen Kane; piano solos by Miss Webster and Miss Kane; violin and mandolin selection by Miss Nolan and Miss Nestor; recitations by Miss Agnes Dudley and Miss Catherine Kane.

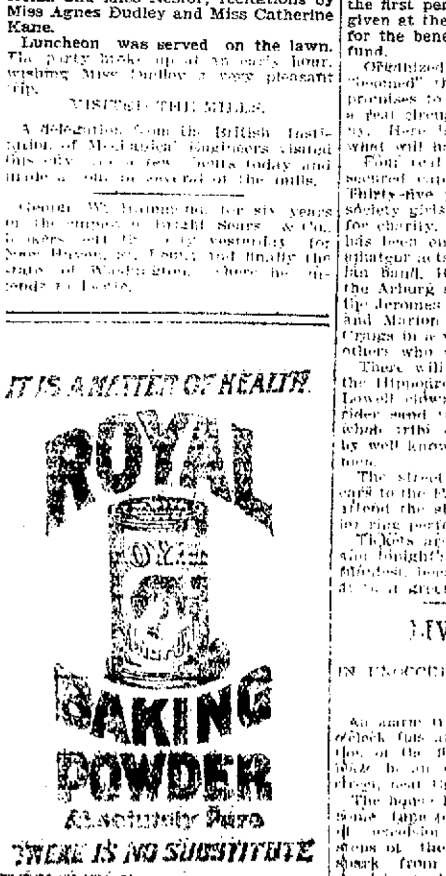
Luncheon was served on the lawn. The party broke up at an early hour, wishing Miss Dudley a very pleasant trip.

VISITED THE MILLS.

A delegation from the British Institution of Mechanical Engineers visited this city for a few hours today and made a call to several of the mills.

George W. [illegible], for six years in the employ of [illegible] Sears & Co., [illegible] yesterday for New Haven, [illegible] and finally the state of Washington, where he intends to locate.

IT IS A MATTER OF HEALTH.



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A NARROW ESCAPE

Boy Struck by Electric Car Today

Little Arthur Deliges, aged four years, residing at 16 Suffolk street, had a narrow escape from being ground to death by a Pawtucketville electric car at the corner of Merrimack and Race streets about noon.

Only the presence of mind and prompt action of Motorman Patrick Harrahan prevented a probably fatal accident, and as it was an examination of the youngster in the Lowell pharmacy failed to reveal any injury and he departed for his home unassisted.

The Pawtucketville car was going along Merrimack street at an ordinary rate of speed when the boy ran out from Race street and started across Merrimack street on the run, directly in front of the car. The little fellow was running too fast to stop himself and a collision was inevitable. Motorman Harriman saw the danger in an instant, and reversing the power brought the car to a quick stop.

The fender struck the boy lightly, throwing him into it, and he was carried on it until the car stopped. He was then taken to th epharmacy where a physician examined him, and it was found that he had escaped injury. When he had gotten over his fright he went home.

GREEK WEDDING

VERY ELABORATE ONE IN THE CHURCH IN LEWIS STREET YESTERDAY.

Mr. John Phanos and Miss Panagoula Ladopoulos, both prominent in local Greek society, were married yesterday afternoon at the little church in Lewis street, the hour being four o'clock. Almost every hack in the city was engaged. It was the most elaborate and expensive wedding in the history of the Greek colony. The nuptial knot was tied by Rev. Fr. Joachin, the Greek priest.

CIRCUS TONIGHT

WELL-KNOWN LOCAL PEOPLE IN THE RING.

Probably no local and charitable production has aroused more genuine interest than has the country circus, the first performance of which will be given at the Fair grounds this evening for the benefit of the Country Week fund.

Organized within ten days, but "boomed" throughout nine of them, it promises to attract as many people as a real circus, and to be twice as funny. Here is story in a nut shell of what will happen:

Four real circus tents have been secured capable of seating 1500 people. Thirty-five prominent club men and society girls have agreed to "perform" for charity. A troupe of professionals has been engaged to brighten up the amateur acts, and they include an Italian band, Bristol's educated ponies, the Arburg sisters in an acrobatic act, the Jeromes in an aerial perch act, Gus and Marion Kohle, jugglers, the three Craggs in a wonderful feat, and several others who will be announced tonight.

There will be a grand parade about the Hippodrome course. There will be Lowell clowns and Lowell bareback rider sand tumblers. There will be a whole tribe of Indians impersonated by well known society girls and club men.

The street railway will run special cars to the Fair grounds. Go early and attend the side show before the regular ring performance begins.

Tickets are on sale at Ellingwood's and tonight's performance will be the funniest, because the amateurs will be at their greenest.

LIVELY BLAZE

IN UNOCCUPIED HOUSE IN MAIN STREET.

An alarm from box 131 just before 2.30 o'clock this afternoon summoned a portion of the fire department to a lively blaze in an unoccupied house on Main street, near the railroad track.

The house has not been tenanted for some time past and a large quantity of excelsior was placed near the steps of the house. Undoubtedly a spark from a locomotive ignited the excelsior and the latter set fire to the house. The department, however, was prompt in arriving and saved the building, the damage being slight.

REV E. A. DORGAN

Tendered Reception by Children of School

Today is the feast day of Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O. M. I., pastor of the Immaculate Conception church, and in honor of the occasion the pupils of the Immaculate Conception parochial school tendered a reception to the pastor. The exercises were held in the hall of the Immaculate Conception school this morning and the following program was carried out:

Chorus—Welcome Greeting,
Pupils of the school
Little boys' greeting
Boys of the primary class
Instrumental—
Sadie Taff, Annabel Coleman,
Florence LaCroix.
Children's Offerings to the Heart of Jesus,
Prologue ....Miss Lena O'Loughlin
June .... Miss Vera Queenan
Queen of the Red Roses
Miss Mary Sorrigan
Queen of the White Roses,
Miss Mary Murphy
Queen of the Lilies,
Miss Mary Concannon
Child's Offering ......Ella Montgomery
Address to the Angel of the Sacred Heart ....Miss Annie McCarron
Angel of the Sacred Heart of Jesus,
Alice Hayes
Address ....Miss Elizabeth Quinn
Presentation,
Jennie Concannon, Marie Hassett

The hall was tastefully decorated with potted plants and shrine of the Sacred Heart was most bautifully arranged in an embankment of flowers, palms, ferns and illuminated by hundreds of lights, all of which presented a pleasing effect. Many of the parents were present. The presentation consisted of a purse of gold, and bouquets of flowers appropriate to the occasion. Rev. Fathers Lawrence, Smith and Tighe accompanied the Rev. Father and seemed to enjoy the program. Rev. E. A. Dorgan, O. M. I., addressed the pupils and thanked them for their very generous offering.

CITY HALL MEETINGS

BULLETINED FOR THE EARLY PART OF THE WEEK.

The committee on education of the city council will meet at 7.15 o'clock this evening at city hall.

The committee on streets will meet at 8 o'clock.

The committee on Fourth of July celebration will meet at 8.15 tonight.

Tomorrow night the meetings at city hall will be as follows:
Committee on finance.
Water hoard at 8 o'clock.
Common council at 8 o'clock.

STOCK MARKET

Today's Quotations on Active Stocks

The following are the closing quotations of today's stock market for active stocks:

NEW YORK STOCKS

Am Sugar	126¼
B & O	80¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	46⅝
Chi & Gt W	13⅜
C M St P	142⅜
C R I & P	20⅞
Con Gas	194
Con Gas Rights	16⅝
Del & Hud	154⅛
Erie	23⅝
Erie	57⅞
Manhat Con	148
Met St Ry	110⅝
Mis Pacific	92
Mo, Kan &Tex	16¾
Mo, Kan & Tex pfd	37
N Y Cen	115⅞
N Y Ont & W	25½
Penn R	115½
People's Gas	96⅝
Reading	47
So Pac	46
So R	21⅛
Tenn Coal & Iron	34⅜
Tex & Pacific	21⅞
Union Pacific	87½
do pfd	92⅜
U S Steel	9¼
U S Steel pfd	54⅞
Wabash	16¼
Wabash pfd	35½
W U Telegraph, ex div	86
U S Leather pfd	79½

BOSTON STOCKS

Adventure	1¾
Amalgamated	50¼
American Wool	11
American Woolen pfd	75¾
Am Tel & Tel	12[illegible]
Atlantic	7¾
Allouez	5½
B & Albany	241
B & Maine	163
Bingham	21½
Calumet & Hecla	455
Centennial	20
Chicago Junction	137½
Chicago Junction pfd	116½
Copper Range	43
Daly-West	24
Dom Coal	52
Dom Coal pfd	112
Dom Steel	7¾
Elevated	161
Elm River	1¾
Fitchburg pfd	135
Franklin	7¾
Lowell Gas Rights	11
Mass Mining	3½
Mass Gas	40⅝
Mass Gas pfd	80¼
Mass Electric	18
Mass Electric pfd	71
Mex Tel	7½
Michigan	2¾
Mont C & C	4
Mohawk	41⅞
N E Tel	122
N E Tel Rights	2.05
N Y, N H & H R R	186¾
Osceola	62
Old Colony Mine	75
Old Colony R R	195¾
Old Dominion	12⅞
Parrott	25¼
Quincy	86
Santa Fe	1⅛
Shannon	5⅞
Royal	5½
Tamarack	92½
Trinity	3¾
United Fruit	106
Utah	36½
U S Oil	10⅛
United States	21
Victoria	2¾
Winona	6
Wolverine	73
Western Tel	8¼
Western Tel pfd	80
Wyandotte	60
West End	90⅞
West End pfd	111

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PERDICARIS FREE

His Liberation Arranged for Tomorrow

WASHINGTON, June 20—The navy department has received a cablegram from Rear Admiral Chadwick at Tangier, saying that Perdicaris and Varley probably will be released tomorrow.

MANY GRADUATES

Continued.

Recitation, The Last Days of Pompeii
James McIntyre.
Duet, Voices of the Woods
Concert Exercise
Speech of Mark Anthony
Solo, Selected
Blanche Dextra.
Declamation, Francis Scott Key
Carlos Hart.
Quartet, The Hunters' Song
Valedictory
George Cohen.
Chorus of Girls
A Wish for the Mountains
Presentation of Diplomas.
Mr. John Hanlon. Sub-committee.
Singing of Class Ode
Presentation of Class Picture
Adhemard Jean.
Chorus, America.

The following were the graduates: Albert John Bates, Glen Bowden Caswell, William James Conley, John Joseph Hennessy, Adhemard Charles Jean, John Joseph O'Connor, James Edward Bean, George Harry Cohen, Carlos Andrew Hart, Guy Currier Hunt, Joseph Wilson Jordan, John Henry Quigley, Frank Edwin Wood, Anna Stasia Bagley, Alice Margery Barton, Emma Cinq Mars, Leona Hazel Dearth, Elsie Fay Grant, Isantha Irving, Harriet May Lewis, Josephine Isabella McDermott, Jeanie Logan McIntyre, Mary Mathilda Porier, Frances Madelein Curry, Lillian May Goodwin, Mary Cecilia Hennessey, Catherine Cecilia Keyes, Eva May Littlefield, Agnes Arvilla McGowan, Josephine Marguerita Ort, Mary Ella Secord, Maud Blanche Starkey.

VARNUM SCHOOL.

William W. Crosby, principal of the Lowell Textile school, delivered an eloquent address on "Education and Actual Life" before the graduates and pupils of the Varnum grammar school this afternoon at the graduation exercises.

The following was the interesting program which was carried out this afternoon.

Graduates' March, "The Midnight Fire Alarm" .... Paull
Edith Currier.
Singing, "So Merrily Over the Ocean Spray" ....Richards
Declamation, "Popular Elections."
McDuffie
George Dwyer.
Tales of a Wayside Inn....Longfellow
Marion Tighe, Ina Heaton, Esther Sanders, Mae Wade, May Shore, Marion Braley.
Singing, (a) "Juanita"
(b) "Stars of the Summer Night"
Woodbury
"The Merchant of Venice."
Written by William Carter; read by Lora Gervais.
"Hamlet."
Written by Eugenia Meigs: read by Thomas Salmon.
Semi-Chorus, "Sweet and Low."
Barnby
Singing, "Santa Lucia"..........Italian
Declamation, "The Flag of Our Country" ....Winthrop
Harold Marion.
Presentation of Class gift, bust of General Grant and pedestal.
George Fillon.
Singing, "Spring"................Haydn
Address, "Education and Actual Life"
William W. Crosby,
Principal of Lowell Textile School.
Award of Diplomas,
Dr. Joseph N. Marston,
Sub-committee.
Singing, Parting Hymn.

The graduates were Parker Tucke, Florence May Lantz, Rosemary Frances Comerford, Ina Grace Heaton, William Amerige Carter, George Horace Fillon, Marion Isabel Tighe, Bessie May Norris, Mary Frances Shore, Alice May Rogers, Jennie Cecilia Riley, Mary Gertrude Mawn, John Morley Hutton, Harold Amos Frost, Agnes Sara Shaw, Albertine Berbier, Lora Gervais, Edith Isabel Sweatt, Gustina Mabel Sullivan, Edith Lillian Swann, Theresa Elizabeth Brennan, Carrie Elizabeth Willett, Mae Van Scholck Wade, George Washington Dwyer, Charles Bigelow Garmon, Thomas Joseph Salmon, Marion Mildred Braley, Edith Alma Currier, William Edward Harrington, Harold Gerald Marion, Eugenia Meigs, Esther Adelaide Sanders, Sadie Ella Mansell, Marguerite Glode Skillings, Bertha Wenista Leadbetter, Ellen Louise Daley, Melvin Charles Peacock, John Joseph Francis Hamilton, Marie Louise Brunette, Newell Shepherd Gilman, Ralph Franklin Canney, Bryant Livingstone Kirby, Arthur Joseph Laverne, Effie [illegible] Mason, Allen Gray Jenkins, William Francis O'Brian, Henry Colvill, Lizzie Myrtle Gaspar, Lewis Munson Sweatt, Walter Irving Somers, Dorothy Prentiss Webster.

LINCOLN SCHOOL.

The exercises at the Lincoln school in Chelmsford street were held this afternoon and the hall was crowded with parents and relatives of members of the graduating class. Shortly after 2 o'clock the opening chorus, "Spring," was rendered and then followed the salutatory by George R. O'Neil. The following program was carried out:

Semi-Chorus, Swing Song .... Lohr
Reading, Stories of Famous Songs
May A. Kendall.
Semi-Chorus, The Last Rose of Summer.
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Mark Twain
William E. Phillips.
Chorus—
(a) Bluebells of Scotland.
(b) The Bonnie, Bonnie Banks of Loch Lomond.
Recitation, Marquis .... Dickens
Florence R. McMahon.
Quartet—Stars of the Summer Night.
Woodbury
Edith M. Cluley, Agnes R. Murphy, Lottie E. Allen, John F. R. Coughlin.
Recitation, A Cheerful Spirit,
Sir John Lubbock
Edith M. Lyons.
Piano Solo, The Wedding of Hearts,
Trumbull
A. Eldridge Filteau.
Recitation, Lincoln's Speech at Gettysburg.
Willie Dobbs.
Recitation, [illegible] Roosevelt's [illegible] at Gettysburg.
[illegible]

Piano Solo—"Farrandole from "L'Arlesienne," .... Bizet
Bella B. La Vigne.
Valedictory—The Training of the Imagination.
Robert A. Hall.

The diplomas were presented to the following graduates by Dr. Otis Allen of the school committee: Little Eudora Allen, Ida Frances Baker, Ruth Myra Barney, Ada Ruth Bowen, Edith May Cheney, Inez Maud George, Ethel Marjorie Harris, Edna Harrison, Mary Alvah Kendall, Bella Blanche LaVigne, Edith Margaret Lyons, Florence Beatrice McMahon, Alice Evelyn Norton, Alice Anna Perkins, Irene Ethel Smith, Irene Alma Traversy, Eva Mildred York, Maud Esther York, John Richard Coughlin, Welcome Warren Dresser, Willie Dobbs, Wilfred Eldridge Filteau, Robert Austin Hall, Lewis Kleim, Clarence Everett Lesner, George Robert O'Neil, William Pauly, William Elliot Phillips, Ernest Harrison Smith.

The exercises closed with the singing of the class ode by the class.

BARTLETT SCHOOL.

This is class day at the Bartlett school and a fine program was carried out under the direction of Principal Durgin. The program was as follows:

Trio, In the Hayfields, Pinsuti
Chorus.
Solo by Horatius B. Leggat.
Recitation The Lark and the Farmer,
La Fontaine
Lola Lucy Talbert.
Selection, Legend of the Bells Planquette
(Chimes of Normandy.)
Chorus.
Recitation Dorothy Q. Holmes
Annette Alma Lareau.
Solo and Chorus, Lullaby Jakobowski
(Erminie.)
School.
Declamation, Before the Assassination,
Shakespeare
(Macbeth.)
Thomas Francis Garvey.
Duet, Star of Evening Roeckel
Chorus.
Reading, Napoleon's Retreat from Moscow, Hugo
Nellie Emma Murray.
Recitation, An Incident of the Fire at Hamburg, Lowell
Valedictory, Irene Eugenie Gauthier.
Chorus, The Recessional, Schnecker.
School.
Address, Hon. Solon W. Stevens.
Presentation of diplomas,
Mr. Hugh J. Molloy
Singing, Class Song, Mercadante
Class of Nineteen Hundred Four.

The list of graduates is as follows: Daisy Clark, Emma Collins, Gladys Drury, Carrie Emery, Irene Gauthier, Ida Green, Edith Jaquith, Amanda Lambert, Annette Lareau, Edith Luce, Katherine O'Hearn, Blanche McDonald, Rachel McElroy, Esther McOsker, Nellie Murray, Katherine O'Neil, Lillian Peters, Elizabeth Powers, Elizabeth Pratt, Mary Quinn, Grace Sabowin, Rose Simoneau, Lola Talbert, Gabrielle Turcotte, Edward Cotter, John Doherty, Carl Fletcher, Thomas Garvey, Roy Hamlin, Charles Hebert, William Hogan, John Leavitt, George Mahoney, Elton Swanson, Francis Tobin, Philip Thomas, Raymond Thomas, Herbert Willmot.

MOODY SCHOOL.

Forty-six boys and girls received diplomas at the exercises held at the Moody school this afternoon. This is one of the largest classes sent out by the Belvidere school and the attendance of parents and friends of the young people taxed the exhibition hall to the limit. The feature of the exercises was the presentation of the class picture by William White who made a nice little address in which he spoke of the appreciation of the pupils of the work of the teachers and also the love each and every one has for the Moody school. The program was as follows:

Piano Duet,
Alice Clnin, Pauline Coggeshall.
Song, "Summer,"
Violin Solo,
Edith McElvoy.
Recitation, "Telling the Bees,"
Annie McCartin.
Songs,
"But When Morning Dawneth."
"Stars of the Summer Night."
Mandolin Solo,
Lillian Conley,
Swing Song,
Declamation, "Rienzi's Address,"
William Cahill.
Semi-Chorus, "Sweet and Low."
Grace McCleery, Lillian Conley, Margaret Cawley, Josephine McQuaid, Bertha Sanborn, William White, Roswell Jefferson, Annie McCartin, Hazel Scott, Anna Kelley, Alma Cawley, William Cahill, James Rodger, Thos. Farrell.
Recitation, "Song of the Camp."
Bayard Taylor
Daisy Watersworth
Piano accompaniment, Winifred Chalmers.
Semi-Chorus, "Lift Thine Eyes."
Gertrude Abbott, Hester Boardman, Hazel Scott, Margaret Cawley, Excelle Courtleyon, Ruth Clark, Josephine McQuaid, Alma Cawley, Lillian Conley, Helen Jackson, Annie McCartin.
Piano Solo,
Winifred Chalmers.
Cornet Solo,
James Rodger.
Presentation of Class Picture,
William White.
Song, "Crossing the Bar."

The following graduates received their diplomas from Dr. Hugh Walker: Gertrude Cushing Abbott, Florence Callie Akerely, Goldie Isabell Akerley, Frances Billings, Mildred Mary Bolger, Hester Boardman, Marie Cahill, William Francis Cahill, Anna Josephine Cawley, Margaret Frances Cawley, Ruth Clark, Winifred Josephine Chalmers, Alice Lucille Clnin, Pauline Coggeshall, Alfred John Colton, Louise Timeslow Conant, Lillian Conley, Excelle Beatrice Courtleyon, Clarence Geer [illegible] Thompson Farrell, Lee [illegible] Ambrose Glendon, Samuel [illegible] Gibson, Charles Dickey Gordon, Bessie Hill, William Hill, Evangeline Hurteblise, Helen Frances Jackson, Rose [illegible] Clifford Jefferson, Anna Maxwell Kelley, Alice Gertrude Kendall, Charles Bartholomew Lee, Mark James [illegible] [illegible]

ephine Dolores McQuaid, James Yelins Rudger, Bertha Lydia Sanborn, Hazel Clarissa Scott, Blanche Helen Sullivan, Ethel Bernice Swanton, Daisy Helen Watersworth, August Pearson, William Brennan, William James White.

After the presentation of diplomas "Auld Lang Syne" was sung as the closing number.

HIGHLAND SCHOOL.

The graduation exercises at the Highland school took place this afternoon. The parents and friends of the children were present in goodly numbers and the exercises were bright and entertaining. The program:

March—"The New Republic"......Stone
Catherine Pratt.
Song—"Summer" .... Marshall
Class.
Declamation—"Public Opinion."
Phillips
Vernon Greene.
Recitation—"A Court Lady."
E. B. Browning
Ruth Crawford.
Semi-Chorus—"Stars of the Summer Night" .... Woodbury
Helen Barrett, Mary Fleming, Nina Conant, Cornelia Locke, Ruth Crawford, Ralph Wood, Percy Dennison, Chester Batchelder, Frank Hull.
Recitation—"The National Flag."
Beecher
Mary Fleming.
Violin solo—"Robert le Diable."
Meyerbeer
Jennie Wood.
Daisy Hunt, Accompanist.
Recitation—"Morituri Salutamus."
Longfellow
Elsie Adams.
Song—"Lovely Appear,"
Gounod's "Redemption"
Class.
Declamation—"The Chariot Race."
Wallace
Marcus Hartwell.
Violin Solo—"Les Noces de Figaro."
Dancla
Arthur Page.
Frank Hull, Accompanist.
Remarks—
Rev. Ransom A. Greene.
Piano Solo—"Merry Bells."
Nina Conant.
Presentation of Diplomas.
Dr. Charles W. Taylor.
Presentation of Class Gift.
George Wood.
Song—"The Fresh'ning Breeze"..Macy
Class.
March.

Graduates—Elsie Loraine Adams, Lillian Marriott Akers, Eva Alfreda Anderson, Helen Louise Barrett, Louisa Agnes Borkenhead, Ada Elizabeth Burford, Maud Court Caddell, Mildred Grace Cambridge, Nina Belle Conant, Ruth Darling Crawford, Mary Chilton Fleming, Etta Mellcent Graham, Helen Elizabeth Hartford, Jessie Cushing Hersey, Enid May Holt, Daisy Beatrice Hunt, May Elizabeth Keefe, Alice Beulah Kendall, Marion Elizabeth Lee, Cornelia Frances Locke, Mary Frances Molloy, Ethel Maud Noyes, Helen Augusta Osgood, Catherine Pratt, Lavinia Raymond, Nellie Roxana Redman, Ellen Dorothy Ryland, Frances Rugg Sawyer, Marion Clough Smith, Helen Spalding, Julia Etta Spaulding, Nettie Barnes Stevens, Agnes Carrie Stewart, Jennie Ann Wood, Sylvia Evangeline Wotton, Forrest Edward Alcott, Chester Stevens Batchelder, Alton Roby Bowers, Herbert Barney Cady, Kenneth Morgan Carrow, Alden Brown Chamberlain, Walter Edwin Clark, William Henry Clinton, Cedric Ceram, Charles Alfred Cote, Elmer Elbridge Dearth, Elwyn Augustus Dearth, Percy Lauriston Dennison, Carl Wadleigh Dunning, Fred Carney Field, Arthur Leon Foss, Vernon Lorenzo Greene, Charles Rutherford Goddard, Jr., Marcus Harriman Hartwell, Clarence Lewis Hildreth, Benjamin Franklin Hodges, Frank Brown Hull, Joel Thomas Leighton, Edward John McVey, Paul Kanada McVey, Arthur Norris Page, John Milton, Grosvenor Parker, 2d, Marshall Cotting Pratt, Theodore Stephen Puffer, Carl Hart Rogers, Edward Paul Sheldon, Edward Everett Stanley, Delbert Earl Taylor, Arthus Silas Wood, George Hall Wood, Leonard Andrew Wood, Ralph Clifton Wood.

PAWTUCKET SCHOOL.

The graduating exercises of the Pawtucket school took place this afternoon at 1.45 o'clock and were well attended by the proud relatives and friends of the young graduates. Mr. A. G. Swapp, school committeeman from ward seven, was the guest of honor, and in presenting the diplomas addressed the graduates briefly, imparting sound advice. The hall in which the exercises took place was very prettily decorated.

The program carried out was as follows:

Chorus, "When Morning Dawneth"
Ninth Grade.
Reading, "Waterloo"
George M. Murray.
Essay, "Nature Work in Schools"
Elvira M. Braden.
Song, "Love's Sorrow"
Sarah R. Anderson.
Banjo solo, "Light Heart"
Grace Hunnewell.
Reading, "Speech of Patrick Henry"
Daniel J. McLaughlin.
Piano solo, "Tam O'Shanta"
Charles Choate.
Double quartet, "Stars of the Summer Night"
Sopranos, Evangeline Harvey, Grace Hunnewell; tenor, Etta Heath, Alice F. Gage; alto, Sarah Anderson, Daniel McLaughlin; bass, Harold Dalton, Charles Choate.
Piano solo, "Golden Youth Galop"
Marion Lew.
Selection, From "The Merchant of Venice"
Marion Bachelder.
Drill, Graduates.
Class Prophecy, Mariott Seeton.
Essay with Valedictory.
Charles H. Choate,
Presentation of Diplomas,
Andrew G. Swapp.
Chorus, prayer,
School.

The list of graduates is as follows: Sarah Rebecca Anderson, Marion Louise Bacheldér, Elvira May Braden, Frank Aloysius Callahan, Charles Harold Choate, Harold Raymond Dalton, Clara Louise Fowler, Alice Frances Gage, Etta May Heath, Benjamin Hoyle, Grace Ida Hunnewell, Theresa Cecilia Kelley, Eva Rose Landry, Marion Scott Lew, Magdalene Mary Marley, Ethel Maud MacLaughlin, Daniel Joseph MacLaughlan, George Andrew Murray, Catherine Margaret O'Hearn, Marion Matilda Seeton, William Francis Sheehan, Arthur Silcox, Byron Francis Willis.

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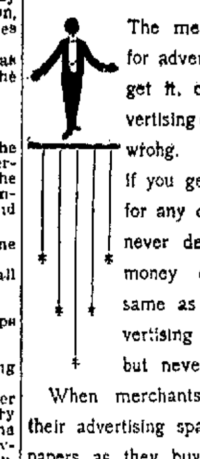

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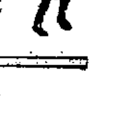

GOING TO TANGIER.

GIBRALTAR, June 20.—The battleship squadron of the North Atlantic fleet consisting of the Kearsarge, flying the flag of Rear-Admiral Barker, commanding; Alabama, Maine and Iowa arrived here today and will sail for Tangier after coaling.

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IN THE PULPITS

Services at the Protestant Churches

WERE VERY LARGELY ATTENDED YESTERDAY

Preachers Chose Timely Sermon Subjects

The services at all the churches yesterday were largely attended and as a whole the sermon subjects were well chosen and interesting.

At the Central M. E. church Rev. Mr. Shenk found his inspiration in Gen. 11.32: 'And Terah died in Haran." "Unrealized Ideals" was his theme and he said in part:

"Ideals are the visions of our better selves and possibilities. We see them as angels walking in a glory haze before us. We pursue them and the more rapidly we run the steeper grows the road, and more distant appear the advancing angels and more bewildering the glory. But although we never overtake our ideals yet we grow like the angels we pursue till a like glory gathers around us; till we become strong of foot; till our purposes are set like flint, and many of the noble things of life have become concrete possessions—provided we fail not. It is a passing from glory to glory, where God lifts the angel in us and leads us on before, Himself being the infinite goal.

"We are likely to call Haran a wayside grave, but in God's sight it was not such. We plan, but are our plans in accordance with the Divine purpose? We see beautiful prospects before us, but will these things attained give us the mental and moral fibre that God wants us to have? We have planned an easy road. But God wants us to grow in strength and we cannot do that without a struggle. So He puts us where we have to toil and fight, and endure disappointments and be cast down, till the charring ends of a purely earthly life are weaned away and we are made to set our heart on things above, where the spirit need never to know failure, or love to lose its home; where God makes us truly to grow after a Divine pattern when we have been torn away from the things that would bind us to the earth. A few must needs thus toil, and endure in order to develop feet that will walk Heavenly paths; if we must be perplexed as to our way so to finally choose Divine guidance; if we must lose earthly possessions if we but gain an imperishable kingdom among things good and beautiful and true—
"'Blest be the tempest, kind the storm
That drives us nearer home'."

ST. PAUL'S M. E. CHURCH.

At St. Paul's M. E. chur c,hSunday morning, the pastor, Rev. George B. Dean preached a simple and very practical sermon finding his text in I Cor. xv. 58. "Therefore my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, immovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord." He said in part:

Had Paul written in the spirit of today, it seems that he would have said: "Abound in the work of the Lord from September to June."

It might seem desirable to close the church during the summer if all the people went away for their vacation at the same time. But they are continually going and coming, and many remain at home all summer. Besides there are many strangers in the city, some of whom find their way into the open churches.

We should not enter upon the vacation season in the spirit of the little child who closed her evening prayer with the words "Goodbye God, good bye, Jesus, I'm going to Boston tomorrow." It is "the most stupendous folly" to abandon one's self to physical enjoyment, in the reckless way characteristic of our vacation season.

The person who is "steadfast" will be strong, courageous, patient, unmovable in the midst of the hurly-burly around him.

Do not on the other han dbe "too religious" when away on a vacation, too conspicuous with your religious views, your willingness to argue.

Take the Apostles' creed with you, which is all the doctrine you need and simply live as a child of God.

Some people there are, who, though they remain in the city, absent themselves from church and close the blinds of their houses.

Whether at home or away, remember that recreation is only work turned into play; and we shall be stronger for exercising ourselves spiritually as well as physically.

GIRLS SMOKING CIGARETTES.

Children's day exercises were held at the Paige Street Free Baptist church yesterday. The church was prettily decorated for the occasion by John Perry, Jr., and his Sunday school class. The pastor, Rev. D. B. Martin, preached to the children and spoke in part as follows: "The prophet Daniel was made a prisoner of war, early in life, and was removed from his native land to the country of the Assyrians, and he was subjected to all the hardships that were common to such but he forged his way to the first place in the kingdom. Daniel had a purpose in life, and all young people who would succeed must have a purpose in these days. One gets no farther in life, than he has a purpose to go. I'd like to take every boy and girl in the land, and start them on the road that would bring them to success and honor. Daniel's purpose was the all-absorbing power of his life. The things in life that seem such great difficulties, are often stepping stones to something higher.

"It is necessary for one to keep himself pure in body and mind in order to attain success. No man or woman can succeed who makes use of strong drink. We see bodies blighted with the curse of strong drink. There is another form of defilement among both boys and girls, caused by the use of cigarettes. I am sorry to say some girls as well as boys defile themselves with cigarettes, and it is done right here in Lowell. I challenge you to produce a boy or girl who uses cigarettes, and stands at the head of his or her class. Care should be exercised that the mind and souls are not defiled by reading books that fill the mind with unholy suggestions. If I had my way, I would burn half the books in the public libraries Then there is a worse class of books, not found in our libraries. You never can succeed if your mind is contaminated. Read only good pure books. There is no excuse in any condition of circumstances to do wrong. Young people sometimes say, 'I want and have to do as others do.' The king of Assyria set wine before Daniel and commanded him to drink. Daniel refused. Don't be laughed out of doing right. Stand up and do what you know to be right. Daniel's purpose to abstain from defilement won success for him after a time."

The following boys and girls were awarded diplomas from the various grades:

Intermediate—Hazen Stevens, Edith Sanders, Margaret Breckinridge, Edna Osborne, Bernice Libby, Esther Garrick, Charlie Evans, Earl Gray, Hazel Hood.

Junior Class—Wesley E. Howard, Frederick D. Garrick, Arthur Curtis, Harry C. Dagget, Paul R. Gray, Frederick Leary.

Senior Class—Viola Inez Marshall, Alice Margery Barton, Georgia Sherburn Libby.

HIGHLAND CONG. CHRURCH.

At the Highland Congregational church last evening the pastor Rev. T. Clayton Welles, spoke upon amusements. He said that the impulse to laugh and play was a part of human nature and was not to be despised or repressed unduly. Amusement marks a healthy exercise of the faculties and tendencies with which we are endowed and there is inherently no more sin in a hearty laugh than in a hearty meal. aMny people give too little attention to right, healthful, helpful kinds of relaxatin. But sometimes, amusements are carried so far, that they cease to be recreation, and become the chief business, concern and passion of life. They then become harmful and poisonous. If they prove a weariness instead of a rest, if they unfit you for the best performance of duty, if they tax your time or purse too heavily, if they assume too great prominence in your thoughts and plans, if they lower your ideals, or go against your conscience, then they are to be discarded and avoided, as your worst enemy.

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH.

The audiences at the Immanuel Baptist church at both the morning and evening services were large. In the morning Rev. F. M. Pickles, pastor of the Centralville M. E. church, preached in exchange with the pastor, taking for his text, the "Lord Jesus Christ" in his various manifestations. The sermon was both strong and practical and proved very interesting. In the evening the pastor spoke on "Loneliness of the Soul," showing how the soul must bear up alone in all its experiences, overcoming all the difficulties. The singing was excellent, the choir under the direction of Mr. Chas. E. Woodbury, rendering several selections and the pastor, Rev. Mr. True, singing as a solo, "My Mother's Prayer," in fine voice.

MT. VERNON F. B. CHURCH.

Children's day was observed at Mt. Vernon Free Baptist church yesterday morning and the congregation was large that gathered to listen to the little people. The decorations were elaborate and artistic. Deacon W. O. Coram is the Sunday school superintendent and Miss Mattie Stevens is superintendent of the juvenile department. Recitations were said by Gladys Barr, Earl Graham, Elsie Rowland, Alfred Barr, Lillian Abbott and "Little Soldiers." Readings were given by Dolly Rowland and Miss Edith Estabrook. Greta Cady and Earl Graham sang solos and there were duets by Marion Mochrie and Marion Clark, also by Galdys Flanders and Isabel Gillespie. The entire primary department, Miss Peirce's class, and a quartet of small girls appeared in musical selections.

Remarks were made by H. L. Makechnie of Malden, who is a member of a Sunday school numbering 1200, with an average attendance of 800. Mr. Makechnie complimented the children of the Mt. Vernon Sunday school upon the excellence of the concert program. "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," sung by the congregation, closed the service.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.

The Sunday services at the Gorham Street Primitive Methodist church were held in observance of Flag Sunday in the morning and children's day concert in the evening. The decorations were beautiful.

The large auditorium was filled with members of the parish, G. A. R., Women's Relief Corps and friends for the morning patriotic service, the relief corps participating. Mrs. Josie Powers MacDonald sang "My Own United States," and Miss Gertrude Huntley read a history of the flag. "The Star Spangled Banner" wassung antiphonally by the senior and the junior choirs. A quartet, composed of Mrs. Wilbur McCready, Miss Orpha A. Sutcliffe, Herbert Beaumont, and Samuel Asquith sang. A short sermon on "Our Country and Flag," by Rev. N. W. Matthews was followed by a beautiful vocal solo by Miss Alice Leith. The service closed with a rendition of the hymn "My Country I Love Thee," and benediction by the pastor.

A feature of the morning service was the baptism of the following children: Larned J., and Alice B. Marshall of Methuen, Flora Milner Long, Chester C. Heany, William Howard Heaney, Ida M. Boughton and Charles R. Goddfield.

SYMPATHETIC STRIKE

FAVORED BY CHICAGO FEDERATION OF LABOR.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 20—By the endorsement of a new clause in its constitution the Chicago federation of labor has committed itself to the sympathetic strike.

The section provides that if one agreement is violated by an employer, all other agreements between that employer and other unions are abrogated.

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TRAIN WRECKED

One Passenger Killed and Many Injured

RUNNING GEAR ON CAR BECAME DISABLED

Passengers Crushed Against the Seats

PLYMOUTH, N. H., June 20.—One person was killed and a number injured by an accident to a passenger coach train bound from North Woodstock for Plymouth on the Pemigewasset valley branch of the Boston and Maine system. The accident occurred just after 7 o'clock today at a bridge over the Pemigewasset river near Campton village, 10 miles from here. The train was a mixed one and carried several cars of lumber. When the train was passing over number 4 bridge, the running gear of the passenger coach became disabled and the wheels left the rails bringing the train to a sudden stop. A car of lumber which was next to the passenger car, partially telescoped the latter and crushed a number of passengers against the set backs and sides of the coach. The train, however, did not fall over the bridge and the damage was mainly confined to the car in which the accident occurred. A dispatch was sent to Plymouth for assistance and at 8.55 a. m. a secial train carrying all the physicians in town started for Campton. It was the intention of the railroad officials to bring the injured here. Arrangements were made to transfer passengers and baggage around the scene of the accident.

FIREMEN IN PERIL

Twenty of Them Had Narrow Escapes

NEW YORK, June 20—Twenty firemen had narrow escapes from death early today in a fire in a six story brick building on Grand street, the fifth and sixth floors of which are occupied by manufacturers of tortoise shell pins. Six men who had taken up a station on the fire escape at the sixth floor and 14 in an archway leading to the top floor of the burning building to an adjoining structure were cut off by the flames when the big stream from a water tower failed because of trouble in a stand pipe. The men were surrounded by flames and their position was a most perilous one when the interrupted stream was again put in service. All of the men were more or less scorched but none was seriously injured.

The fire was checked after the building had been damaged to the extent of $10,000.

AUTO SPEEDERS

Were Again Held up by Officer Conway

Chief of Police Martin Conway, Jr., of the town of Billerica, is determined to stop the speeding of automobiles through the town which is under his care. The newly macadamized road from the common in the centre of the town to the railroad tracks at Bennett hall station is a rare strip of road for chauffeurs, and it is very tempting, to the man who is handling the lever to open it wide and put on full speed while traveling down this hill. During the past month numerous complaints have been made by the residents of the town at the rate of speed that autos have been going over this road and Chief Conway decided that he would do his best to stop the nuisance and keep the speeders down to the regulation of ten miles an hour.

Sunday has been the day when the most complaints have been entered and two weeks ago yesterday Chief Conway with the assistance of several timers stopped five men for fast motoring and yesterday succeeded in landing two in his net. The offenders yesterday were Dr. H. P. Perkins of West Newton and William E. Walsh of this city, and they will appear in court tomorrow morning.

The chief of the town and his men were stationed on the Howe school hill, the same place which was occupied two weeks ago. Dr. Perkins was the first man who it is alleged exceeded the speed limit of ten miles an hour. His time was caught by Chief Conway and was set at 19 miles an hour. When Mr. Conway told the doctor that he was exceeding the time limit the doctor replied that he was making a call on one of his patients in Lowell and thought he had a right to go as fast as he wished. After considerable talk he was notified to appear in court in Lowell tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. The doctor tried to evade appearing by stating that he had an engagement for every day during the week. When he was finally threatened with arrest, however, he said that he would appear.

William E. Walsh, of this city, was the other man, and it is claimed that he was speeding over twenty miles an hour. Mr. Walsh said he would appear.

INTERESTING PAPERS

READ AT THE CHARITIES CONFERENCE.

PORTLAND, Me., June 20.—The sixth day of the National conference of charities and correction opened without any apparent decrease in the attendance of delegates, visitors or local people. Amen session was held the standing committee on "State supervision and administration" in charge. The state's responsibility in the field of charities and correction was brought by the report of the committee, of which Michael J. Scanlon of New York city is chairman.

"Limits of state control and supervision of charities," was the topic of a paper by Rev. A. W. Clark of Omaha Nebraska, which supported the centralized management of public institutions and the close supervision of private charities.

TWENTIETH YEAR

Asa Pollard Lodge Celebrates Event

The twentieth anniversary of Asa Pollard lodge, No. 7741, I. O. O. F., M. U., was celebrated at Thomas Talbot memorial hall in North Billerica Saturday night. A fine repast was served and besides the members there were the families of the members in attendance, about 300 being present at the supper.

At 8.15 o'clock Noble Grand Walter Radcliffe made a speech of welcome, and after welcoming the members and guests reviewed the work of the lodge and thanked the officers and men for their good work and loyal support. The following program was carried out:

Recitation, Miss Minnie Dyson, "When Father Road the Goat"; song, "Mary of Argyle" Mr. James Richie; remarks, Prov. Grand Master James Smith of Lowell; song, "You're as Welcome As the Flowers in May," Miss Mary Seymore; song, "When the Sunset Turns the Ocean Blue to Gold," Mr. Charles E. Fairbrother; reading, "My First Recital," Miss Elizabeth Garner"; song, "Eliza Jane," Mr. Herbert Ellis; song, "When the Parson Preached the Word," Mr. Charles Bailey; reading, "Uncle Joe's Advice to Wed Women," Mr. Joseph Brown; phonograph selection, H. Armrod.

Seated upon the staige were Provinsial Grand Master James W. Smith, Past P. G M. Waretzell, of Cambridge, P. G. M. George Emsley of Lowell, Prov. Cor. Secy. James Gregg of Lowell, Past Grands Ernest Robinson, Robert Tivey and Roger Barrington.

Under the direction of Past Grand Provincial George Emsley of Lowell, Asa Pollard lodge was organized June 19, 1902, with a membership of 34 and has grown steadily and on their second anniversary 65 members are enrolled and six applications pending.

Those in charge of the anniversary were Past Grand Robt. Tivey, chairman; Joseph Brown, secretary; Walter Radcliffe, William McBride, Herbert Ellis, J. Williams, J. Switzer, Samuel Stott, Austin Staples, Harry Ormrod, John Hawkyard, William Heyson, Walter Dyson, Oscar Spencer, P. O. Ernest Robinson, John Radcliffe, George Jaffcock, William Buckley, James Swansen, Charles Walker, Christopher Walker, Thomas Chrisholm and Chas. Hurst.

Those in charge of the banquet were William McBride, chairman, Miss Williams, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. John Hawkyard, Miss M. H. Brown, Miss Annie Pickard, Miss Tillie Barrington, Miss Mary Seymour, Miss Orson Miner, and Mrs. Thomas Seymour.

After the entertainment the floor was cleared for dancing, Stott's orchestra furnished the music.

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Trains leave Middlesex street station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.46, 6.23, *6.39, x6.49, w6.50, 7.01, 7.24, 7.31, *7.48, x7.52, w*8.00, *8.57, w9.25, 9.33, w10.50, 11.06, *11.43 a. m.; w12.05, 12.14, w12.45, 1.44, *1.56, w2.30, w3.10, *3.47, w3.55, 4.28, w5.06, 5.22, x5.49, *6.12, w6.15, 7.00; *7.29, w9.15 p. m.; SUNDAYS, 6.31, 7.24, 8.15, 8.43, 9.20 a. m.; w12.10, 3.25, w3.55, 5.29, w5.30, w8.45 p. m.

For Lawrence and Haverhill, 6.28, w6.50, z7.31, w8.30, w9.25, w10.50 a. m.; w12.05, 1.26 (to Lawrence only), w2.30, 3.55, w5.06, w6.15, w7.00, w9.15, qw11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS. 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For stations between Reading and Boston, Western Division, 6.50, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 12.45, 2.30, 3.55, 5.06, 7.00, 9.15 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 3.55, 5.30, 8.45 p. m.

For Salem, Mass., w6.23, 7.31 a. m.; w12.05, 1.28, j2.30, j3.55, w5.06, 5.28 p. m.

For Newburyport, Amesbury and Portsmouth, 6.28 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.00, 3.55, 6.15 p. m.

For Haverhill Bridge, Newburyport, Hampton, North Hampton, Portsmouth and stations on York Beach R. R., 3.00 p. m., until Sept. 9, inclusive.

For Exeter and Dover, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30, a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30 p. m.

For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Somersworth, N. H., Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.55, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10, 5.30 p. m.

For Waterville, Rockland and way stations, 6.28, 6.50, z7.31, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m.; 12.10 to Lewiston only, 5.30 p. m.

For Bangor, Belfast, and way stations, 8.30 a. m.; 5.06 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m. (to Bangor only); 5.30 p. m.

For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal and Quebec, 6.50 a. m., 5.06 p. m. (5.06 train does not run Saturdays.) SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.

For Eastport and St. John (via steamer from Portland) on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 12.05 p. m.

For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Portland), Tuesday and Friday at 5.06 p. m.

For Woburn 6.23, 7.04, 7.31, *7.48, 11.03 a. m.; 1.43, 4.23 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.48 a. m.; 3.25, 5.29 p. m.

For stations between Winchester and Boston, Southern Division, 5.46, 6.28, 7.31, 7.48, 9.33, 11.06 a. m., 1.44, 1.56, 4.28, 5.22 p. m. SUNDAYS, 6.39, 7.27, 8.45, 9.20 a. m.; 3.25, 5.29 p. m.

For Ayer Junction and Way Stations, 7.07, 11.55 a. m.; 5.01 and 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2.15 p. m.

For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.03 a. m.; 1.00, 3.40, 4.07, 5.39 p. m. SUNDAYS, 2 p. m.

For Greenfield, Peterboro, Bennington, Hillsboro and Keene, 9.03 a. m.; 3.40 to Hillsboro, 4.07 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Hillsboro, 2 p. m.

For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.30, 9.03, *9.39, *10.39 a. m.; 12.09, 1.00, *1.40, 3.40, 4.07, 5.39, 6.27, *8.10, *9.10, 12.23 (Nashua only) a. m. SUNDAYS, 10.02 a. m.; 2.00, 6.02, 8.10, *9.10 p. m.

For Franklin, Lebanon, White River Junction, 7.30, 9.39 a. m.; 12.09, 5.39, *h5.10 p. m.

For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction, 7.30 a. m.; 1.30 p. m.

For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River, 10.39 a. m.; *h9.10 p. m.

For Montpelier, Essex Junction, Burlington, St. Albans, St. Johns and Montreal, via Central Vermont line, *9.39 a. m., *12.09, *h5.10 p. m.

For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line, *10.39 a. m.; *h9.10 p. m. QUEBEC EXPRESS, via Plymouth and Sherbrooke, *h9.10 p. m.

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THE SUN IN BOSTON—The Sun is on sale every day at both news-stands of the Union Station in Boston. Don't forget this when taking your train for Lowell.

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS. Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary K. Donnelly alias Mary K. Donley late of Lowell in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Michael Donnelly, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-first day of June A. D. 1904, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, Charles J. McIntire, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this eighth day of June in the year one thousand nine hundred and four.

W. E. ROGERS, Asst. Register.

MONEY TO LOAN

DON'T BE SHORT—Plenty of money to loan to salaried people, merchants, boarding house kepers, teamsters, etc. Easy weekly payments, lowest rates in the city. Confidential; no publicity; no delay. Special inducements for quick payments. Private office. U. S. Loan Co., 90 Prescott St., room 5, Lowell, Mass.

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FOR SALE—30 acre farm near Lowell, $500; hard wood lot, nine room house built in 1898 cost $1650, good barn, 100 ft. hen house, price $1500. Gagnon 173 Merrimack st., Lowell.

HOME FOR SALE IN THE HIGHLANDS—House and barn 37 Dover st. A two and a half story slated roof house with 8 large rooms, also wash room with set tubs, hot and cold water, pantry, bath room and large storage room. Furnace heat. Stable for two horses, good carriage room. Plenty of fruit trees, sixty-six hundred feet of land. Property in good repair. Call at 278 Branch st., cor. of Dover.

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WANTED

WANTED—A small store, suitable for fruit, dry goods, in good location, stocked or vacated. Address M. J. B., Sun Office.

WANTED—By neat American woman day and hour work, best of references. Call 5 Fernald st.

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QUINCY HOUSE, 52 Lee street—Boarders wanted; three square 20c meals for 86c a day, 7 days in the week. James McGregor, prop.

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WANTED—At once house girl at 159 Appleton st.

WANTED—Temperate farm hand. Inquire Pike, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

WANTED—Ladies as house demonstrators for articles for ladies use, Lowell and vicinity. For particulars address A, this office.

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AGENTS WANTED—Sell our $1 bottle Sarsaparilla for 35c; best seller; 200 per cent. profit; write today for terms and territory. F. R. Greene, 115 Lake St., Chicago.

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EXPERIENCED SALESMAN with English, French and Greek wishes to find situation. Address N. Pa., Sun Office.

WANTED—By young lady graduate from business college, position as stenographer and typewriter. Address Stenographer, 95 Westford street, City.

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MISCELLANEOUS

LADIES—A most satisfactory summer dessert is "Dainty Desserts." Makes delicious puddings by simply adding pure milk. Flavoring if desired. No baking—prepared in a moment's time. Send 10c for full size package, also our booklet entitled "Some Ideas for Desserts." Leopold Anderson Co., Campello, Mass.

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SHWARTZ SHOE REPAIRING CO.—We have leased the entire building, cor. Market and Palmer st. and will do all kinds of shoe repairing quick and neatly done. O'Sullivan, Foster, Velvet heels 35c. We also make a specialty of all kinds of cripple and deformed shoes.

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LOST AND FOUND

FOUND—One two year old black and white heifer and one brindle. Owner can have at 638 Mammoth Road.

LOST—Bank book and sum of money. Finder please return to Sun Office and receive reward.

LOST—A black, brown and white Shepherd puppy Saturday. Finder reward at J. H. Storey's Tyler Park.

LOST—Black and tan hound, name on collar Frank Willett. Return to 325 Worthen st., and receive reward.

LOST—Gentleman's plain gold band ring, owner's name inside. Liberal reward if returned to 909 Middlesex st.

FOUND—Pocketbook containing a small sum of money, owner can have by calling at 4 Brown's Court, off Marshall st. and proving property.

LOST—Black and tan hound, name on collar Frank Willett. Return to 325 Worthen st. and receive reward.

LOST—A pin. L. H. C. The finder will please return to Grant Jewelry Store.

LOST—A great deal of time is lost hunting for a tenant or a tenement. Advertise in The Sun and save time.

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FOR SALE—First class steamer trunk for sale cheap, H. Hill, 61 Tyler st., between 6 and 8.

FOR SALE—Chickering square piano in first class condition Inquire Mrs. Sullivan, 208 French st., Suite 5.

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TO LET—Tenement of 5 rooms, bath and pantry, hot and cold water, rent $12. a month. Inquire 37 Smith st.

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TO LET—Old established Chinese laundry. Inquire Pike, Cor. Howard and Middlesex sts.

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TO LET—Two houses at Salisbury Beach, rent very low, for further particulars address Mrs. A. T. Clark, 75 Market st., Amesbury, Mass.

TO LET—Suite of unfurnished rooms at 39 Bridge street.

TO LET—One of the best located stores in town, corner of Summer and South streets; will rent for liquor or grocery store; a good chance for the right party. For further particulars call at 198 South street.

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TO LET—Nicely furnished room with all modern conveniences and privileges of a home. 105 Chestnut street.

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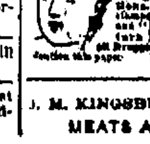

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MEATS AND PROVISIONS.

INFIELD ERRORS

Lost Game for Lowell on Saturday

THOUGH DAY PITCHED A GOOD GAME

Connie Murphy Fined Heavily and Suspended

Poor Billie Day lost another game at Haverhill, Saturday and once more it was not his fault. He kept Haverhill down to seven hits but Lowell made errors at critical stages and the earned runs were even. Lowell's infield played snappy ball at times making four double plays.

C. Murphy did not play in the game between Haverhill and Lowell here Saturday afternoon, although he was at the grounds in uniform, as Manager Hamilton Saturday morning received a telegram from President Murnane indefinitely suspending Murphy and imposing a fine of $100 for the trouble at Concord, N. H., Friday.

After the announcement of the suspension, President Carrigg of the local baseball association and Manager Hamilton conferred with President Murnane and Secretary Morse of the New England League by the telephone and they learned that the suspension and fine were based upon the Concord version of the affair between Murphy and Umpire Kerins.

Manager Hamilton claims that the story of the trouble was exaggerated and says that if Murphy was culpable, Umpire Kerins was equally to blame.

The statement of the Haverhill payers is that Umpire Kerins after ordering Murphy off the grounds Friday at Concord invited Murphy to meet him at his dressing room outside the grounds after the game, and they claim when Murphy went there Kerins struck the first blow and used his spiked shoe upon Murphy, inflicting a scalp wound.

Manager Hamilton informed President Murnane and Secretary Morse of the Haverhill side of the affair. The two officials promised to investigate, and if the story was substantially true to remit the fine of $100 imposed upon Murphy, and to suspend him for a brief period, and also to include Umpire Kerins in the suspension.

HAVERHILL.

	bh	po	a	e
Hamilton cf	1	5	0	0
Hollis 1b	0	8	1	0
Calhoun ss	1	4	5	1
Wallace rf	1	1	0	0
Raftery lf	1	2	0	0
Wiley c	1	8	1	0
T. Murphy 2b	0	2	3	1
J. Murphy 3b	1	2	0	1
McGinley p	1	0	1	0
Totals	7	27	11	2

LOWELL.

	bh	po	a	e
Conners 3b	1	1	2	2
Brant cf	0	1	0	0
Bigbie lf	0	1	0	0
Hickey 2b	1	2	4	1
Lake 1b	2	18	0	0
McLaughlin ss	0	3	5	1
Burbage rf	1	1	0	0
McGovern c	1	2	0	0
Day p	1	2	0	0
Totals	6	24	15	1

Score by innings:

Haverhill	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	x	—4
Lowell	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—2

Runs made—By Wallace, Raftery, J. Murphy, McGinley, Hickey, McGovern. Earned runs—Haverhill 2, Lowell 2. Two base hits—Wallace, Raftery, Hickey. Stolen bases—Wiley, Hickey. Sacrifice hits—Hamilton, McLaughlin, Day. Double plays—Calhoun and Hollis, McLaughlin, Hickey and Lake; Hickey and Lake; McLaughlin and Lake 2. First base on balls—Off McGinley, off Day. Struck out—By McGinley 2, by Day 3. Passed ball—Wiley. Time—1.24. Umpire—Riva. Attendance—1525.

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Fall River 4, Manchester 1	1700
Lawrence 13, Nashua 6	1500
Concord 4, New Bedford 2	1000
Haverhill 4, Lowell 2	1525

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Attendance.
Boston 17, Chicago 13, 11 innings	12,850
Cleveland 8, Washington 4	4140
Detroit 7, Philadelphia 3	5000
New York-St. Louis, rain.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Attendance
Boston 7, Philadelphia	2,935
New York 5, Brooklyn 1	15,000
Chicago 4, Cincinnati 1	7,496
St. Louis 10, Pittsburg 5	10,005

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GAMES TODAY.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE.

Lowell at Haverhill; Lawrence at Nashua; Manchester at Fall River; Concord at New Bedford.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Chicago at Cleveland; Pittsburg at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago at Cleveland.
Washington at Philadelphia.

N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Nashua	24	15	.615
Haverhill	24	15	.615
Lowell	21	17	.553
Concord	21	17	.553
Manchester	19	21	.475
Fall River	18	22	.450
New Bedford	15	25	.375
Lawrence	14	24	.368

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Boston	34	17	.667
New York	28	21	.571
Chicago	29	23	.558
Cleveland	26	21	.553
Philadelphia	26	23	.531
St. Louis	23	24	.489
Detroit	20	28	.417
Washington	9	38	.191

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
New York	34	16	.680
Chicago	31	17	.646
Cincinnati	32	19	.628
Pittsburg	27	24	.520
St. Louis	24	25	.489
Boston	20	30	.400
Brooklyn	21	32	.396
Philadelphia	10	36	.217

SUNDAY GAME

CHICAGO DEFEATED BY BOSTON IN GOOD GAME.

CHICAGO, June 20—Boston won out in yesterday's game by bunching hits in the first inning when they counted twice. The locals put up a great fight to overcome the lead, but Tannehill held them safe at critical times. Attendance 24,800.

The score:

Boston	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Runs made by Stahl, Collins. Hits—Boston 8, Chicago 7. Errors—Collins. Left on bases—Chicago 7, Boston 3. Two base hits—Davis, Isbell 2, Parent. Sacrifice hit—Freeman. Double plays—Davis, Dundon and Isbell 2. Struck out—By Altrock 1, by Tannehill 2. Bases on balls—Off Tannehill 2. Time—1.30. Umpires—Connolly and King.

BASE BALL NOTES.

It was at no time in order for the Boston monguls to criticise the scoring of the different reports on the New England league circuit. It would appear as if the league president and the league secretary were not infallible and they are subject to much criticism. Ren Mulford of Cincinnati says: Ever since the scores of ball games were transformed from mere tally sheets of the "runs" and "outs" to a tolerably fair record of the plays made by each individual player Utopian dreamers have dwelt upon the beautiful possibilities of uniform scoring. As long as personal opinion decides—to the satisfaction of the scorer—what constitutes a base hit or an error there can be no such thing as uniformity.

"There's one thing upon which there can be no division," remarked Frank Bancroft after a recent Boston game. "Everybody has to agree on runs."

The wide discrepancies in the scores of the first Red game at the Hub were laughable. Of four of the morning diamond statisticians no two agreed. Tim Murnane, in the "Globe" gave the Reds 13 hits and five errors, and Boston nine hits and nine errors. J. C. Morse of the "Herald," tabbed up 15 hits for Cincinnati with five errors, and nine hits and six errors for Boston. Walter Barnes of the "Journal" gave Cincinnati 14 hits and let them off with one error, while he gave Boston 12 hits and salted seven errors against them. Fred O'Connell, of the "Post," gave Cincinnati an even dozen safeties with five errors, while he credited Boston with nine hits and gave them 10 errors.

A. G. Doe is a good advertiser. All managers in this league or in any other league must take off their hats to him. That $1000 may be in real money and it may be in trading stamps, but the effect is just the same. He isn't getting the players for nothing, and he must be credited for being the Johnny on the spot where there was good picking. This bonanza was starring the whole country in the face and yet no other manager jumped to the front. He was the only one who was ready to take advantage of the opportunity. Much as Fall River dislikes the Whalers it must admire its hustling manager who is endeavoring to get a winning team. It is now up to Fall River to strengthen. The present team is not strong enough to cope with the reorganized New Bedfords if Doe gets the men he is after.—Fall River Herald.

Manchester expects two new outfielders this week.

Coombs has written Manager Lake that he will not join the team this year and as a result Lake has signed Chase.

Ye gods! Billy McGuirk is in the game again. What Billy? Why, our old Lowell Bill of course! There has only been one Billy McGuirk on earth in the past 100 years and he's the same old Bill and though for the past few years he has been gathering in car fares at Nashua he is nevertheless our Billy. He played in Thursday's game and with this record: Ab. 4, r 1, bh. 2, tb. 3, p o. 2, a 1, e 1. The Nashua Telegraph said of him on Friday:

Ever since the New England league has had a team in Nashua, it has been the desire of the fans to see Billy McGuirk in the game and Thursday Billy was there and by his work showed that he still had the goods and was as much at home with the swat stick as in days of yore when he used to gambol around the bases with the best of them. In his day, Billy was one of the best third basemen ever seen in this section, and with a little work on the diamond, he would make some of the third basemen of the league want to take to the tall timbers. He is a natural hitter, as was shown by his work Thursday. Out of four times at bat, he got two hits with a total of three, and it was through him that three runs were scored in the fourth inning.

And in its notes the Telegraph says:

Billy McGuirk is liable to get some offers from the other teams, and he wouldn't make a bad man for any team at that. He remarked to some of his friends in the stand during the game that he didn't care to sign as he had a good job at home.

The Nashua Press waxeth eloquent as follows:

Billy McGuirk, the old league favorite with the Nashua and Lowell fans of a dozen years ago, furnished the sensation at the Nashua-Fall River game yesterday by taking his old place at third base and putting it all over the members of the Nashua team in the field and at the bat, who had brought him out to make him look like "30 cents" because he expressed the opinion that he could "play as good a game as the Nashua team was playing any day and hadn't touched a ball for a dozen years at that." And Billy was as good as his word. "Doc" Collins was on to the game in the absence of Manager Carney and demanded that Billy be given a full show and at once ordered that he be put on third base in Gerry's place and be kept there through the game. The result was such a show up of the Nashua team as to make the regular team sore and all torn out before the game was over, and now they wished they had shut up and let Nashua's street railway conductor do his bragging in silence.

Billy McGuirk not only showed he was in the game by clever work in the field, tagging out Gulheen who had made a two base hit and was due home and ran into the plucky little electric car man full force, but when he went to bat he knocked out a two bagger when it was needed and brought in two runs and came in himself. The next time up he made a single and brought in another run. Thus he gave Nashua four of the six runs while the rest of the team was getting ready to win the game which was lost. Outside of McGuirk's work the game was listless and of little interest to the spectators.

Three cheers for Billy. If he ever comes to Lowell with the team the Acre lads will be out in great numbers to root for him while the "Mats" young and old, will be there to greet him.

The Nashua Press further says:

Billy McGuirk turned the tables on his tormentors.

The Nashua ball players took up the wrong man when they tried to make McGuirk look like a Pocahontas Smith player.

Wilson was sore because McGuirk went to third for yesterday's game. It was no reflection on Gerry, however. That was McGuirk's old position and when the boys offered Billy a try out Doc Collins insisted it should be in his old place. That he made good is no reflection of the good work Gerry has done through the season.

STONY BROOK LEAGUE.

At Pepperell—West Chelmsford 24, Pepperell 15.

At North Chelmsford—Unions 4, Graniteville 0.

At Middlesex—Crescents 12, Middlesex 1.

STONY BROOK STANDING.

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Crescents	7	3	.700
West Chelmsford	7	4	.636
Unions	7	4	.635
Graniteville	5	6	.455
Pepperell	3	7	.300
Middlesex	2	7	.222

CRESCENTS WON

DEFEATED THE TAIL ENDERS IN ONE-SIDED GAME.

The Crescents of Lowell went to Middlesex Village Saturday afternoon and defeated the home team by a score of 12 to 1; the game was a one sided contest, the Middlesex team being outplayed in every part of the game, only two of the Middlesex players getting beyond second base. Hartnett of the Middlesex team after going into the game against doctor's orders was compelled to give away in the seventh inning to Twohey, who filled his place in a creditable manner. The Middlesex's only run was made in the first inning. Russell, the first man up made a base hit, stole second and scored on Cowdrey's two base hit.

The features of the game were the all around playing of Simmonds, the batting of Donovan, and McCarthy's pitching, striking out ten men, including striking out Russell, the first time Russell has been struck out in two years.

While Coleman of the Middlesex team pitched good ball at the start, the poor support from his fellow players made him lose confidence and at the latter part of the game he was batted quite hard. The Crescents will play the strong Pepperell team on the North common next Saturday, June 25, and as both teams are evenly matched a good game is looked for.

Time, 1 hour 55 minutes. Attendance, 400. Umpire, A. Boudreau.

CRESCENTS

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Simmons ss	4	2	3	3	4	1	0
Brigham lf	6	2	3	3	1	1	0
Phinney 1b	6	2	3	4	9	1	1
Mullen cf	3	1	0	0	0	0	1
Kearns rf	5	1	1	1	0	0	0
Murphy 3b	4	0	2	2	1	1	1
O'Brien 2b	4	0	1	1	3	0	0
Donovan c	4	3	3	3	8	3	0
McCarthy p	4	1	1	1	1	4	1
Totals	40	12	17	18	27	11	4

MIDDLESEX.

	ab.	r.	bh.	tb.	po.	a.	e.
Russell 2b	4	1	1	1	3	2	1
Sheridan c	4	0	2	2	8	2	1
Cowdrey cf	4	0	2	3	4	1	0
Laporte lf	4	0	2	2	2	0	1
Boudreau rf	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Coleman p	4	0	0	0	0	3	2
Hartnett 3b	3	0	1	1	1	1	1
Twohey 3b	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Pease ss	4	0	1	1	0	0	0
Larkin 1b	4	0	2	2	6	0	0
Totals	36	1	11	12	*26	9	6

*Simmons out, hit by ball. First base on balls—Coleman 5, McCarthy 0. Left on bases Crescents 16, Middlesex 10. Two base hits—Cowdrey, Phinney. Struck out by Coleman 5, by McCarthy 10. Double play—Cowdrey to Russell. Passed ball—Sheridan. Hit by pitched ball—Mullen. Time—1h. 55m. Attendance—400. Umpire—A. Boudreau.

Clintons 10, Centralville Blues 3.
Pawtucket Ends 12, Boulevards 11.
Ketchup Club 18, Agawams 4.
Mysteries of Dracut 26, Crimsons 22.

DUNNIGAN ELECTED PRESIDENT.

L. W. Ellingwood has resigned his position as president of the Stony Brook league to take the management of the West Chelmsford team. Mr. Ellingwood introduced himself to his team last week by giving them a complimentary banquet at Page's last Wednesday.

At a special meeting of the league Mr. Ellingwood's resignation was accepted and a vote of thanks tendered him while James W. Dunnigan, selectman and baseball authority, was elected president in his place. The election of Mr. Dunnigan will give a good boom to the Stony Brook league. He was manager of the old Unions and one of the promoters of the old Urban and Suburban league which aroused great interest in the game in this vicinity and paved the way for the N. E. league.

SHAWLIGHTS DEFEAT WAMESITS.

The Shawlight defeated the Wamesits by the score of 10 to 5 in a five inning game. Connie Keefe pitched for the Wamesits and did fairly well, but his waves and twists were found at opportune times. Tom Murphy who pitched for the Shawlights had an easy time. These teams may meet again for a purse of money.

INDUSTRY WON.

The baseball teams representing Industry and Lowell 8 councils, Royal Arcanum, played an interesting game on the Arcanum grounds Saturday afternoon. Industry council won by a score of 6 to 2.

Sayboll and Flynn were the battery for Industry and Shephard and Page for Lowell Council.

LINCOLNS DEFEATED ORIENTS.

The Lincolns went to Chelmsford Saturday and defeated the Orients of that town by a score of 8 to 1. The Lincolns had their batting togs on and every man on the team made one or more hits. A large crowd of fans witnessed the game and were well satisfied with the result. As the game was for ten dollars a side and as the Orients is one of the strongest amateur teams in or around Lowell the Lincolns may well feel proud in winning by such a large margin. But for Merrill's attempt to make a grandstand play out of an easy fly to left field the game might have resulted in a whitewash for the Orients. Ed. Vaughn caught a beautiful game for the Lincolns while Bennett in the box was also in his usual form. Joe Vaughn did great stunts at third base, digging the ball from bushes and holes, and playing an all around good game. Carter and McDowell excelled at the bat for the Lincolns, their hits always being made at opportune times. The Lincolns play the Washingtons next Saturday for a purse of $20 and the Lincolns say it will be their eighth straight victory.

Mt. Grovos defeated the Tigers with a score of 15 to 13 Saturday afternoon, and will challenge any team in the city under 16. Lineup: A. Kelly, c; J. Axon, p; T. Ward, 1b; R. Walde, 2b; D. Taylor, 3b; S. Clough, ss; W. Axon, lf; A. urns, cf; J. Axon, rf. They haven't lost a game yet.

The Nationals defeated the Sailors by the score of 5 to 3. This makes the 12th victory. Tuby Deprocher, the big headed boy with the big mouth, was afraid to play with a quarter ball. He was going to lick the umpire for a close decision. Dick Rogers, the boy too good to play with the Nationals, caught for the Sailors and sprained his finger. T. Keefe, who was released by the Nationals, also played with them. We would like to play any team under the age of 12 for a quarter ball or for the championship of the age of 12. Send all challenges to C. Sheehan, 101 Bourne street or through this paper. The Nationals claim the championship of the age of 12 years, having won 11 and lost none. We will play any team at the age of 12 for it if they think they got it. We would like to hear from the Young Eagles. T. Lynch is in fine form to pitch Saturday. C. Sheehan and Harry Heelon will be used against the Young Wigginvilles. We have signed J. Bradbury and F. Gokey, having released T. Keefe, H. Cushman and E. Martin. F. Belanger is doing fine work with the stick. E. Weldon is also doing good.

CRICKET GAMES

THE MOHAIRS DEFEATED THE BROCKTONS IN CLOSE GAME.

The Mohair Cricket club defeated the Brockton team by a score of 39 to 38 on the Chelmsford street grounds Saturday afternoon. The score:

MOHAIR.

Thorpe c Keene b Orton	10
Hird b Heritage	1
Southam c Heritage b Orton	1
Priestley b Orton	0
Shaw not out	17
Moseley not out	4
Total	39

Allen, Carriman, Cooper, Waite and Greenwood to bat.

BROCKTON.

Stringer c Thorpe b Allen	1
Grimley b Allen	0
Smith c Waite b Allen	1
Orton b Thorpe	5
Williams c Thorpe b Allen	5
Sykes c Waite b Thorpe	0
Heritage c Allen b Thorpe	3
Billings c Cooper b Thorpe	3
Poole not out	12
Tuckman b Thorpe	2
Keene b Thorpe	1
Extras	5
Total	36

BUNTINGS WON.

The United States Bunting Cricket club was defeated Saturday afternoon in Everett by the Everett Cricket team by a score of 103 to 93, the winners having made their total with but five men out. The score:

BUNTINGS.

Gath c Marriot b Hartlett	14
Barber b Murray	4
West run out	3
Watson run out	20
Rowley run out	16
Patrick b Marriott	4
Burns b Marriott	9
Harley b Marriott	0
Rudden b Murray	3
Simpson not out	8
Clegg b Murray	1
Extras	5
Total	93

EVERETT.

Ainslie b Rudden	0
Kidger b Burns	1
Murray c West b Rudden	4
Bartlett not out	63
Thorpe c Simpson b Rudden	24
Bold c and b Burns	0
Marriott not out	13
Extras	9
Total for 5 wickets	103

Bunting, Smith, Graham and Calder to bat.

BILLERICA DEFEATED.

Lawrence defeated Billerica at Lawrence Saturday afternoon with seven wickets to spare. The visitors were first at bat and the best they could do against the bowling of Furneaux and Walker was 23 runs. Furneaux had 5 wickets for 7 runs, and Walker 4 for 14. McCormack was high batsman of the visitors with 8. Wainwright made 13 of Lawrence's total of 26 without being retired.

TORPEDOES ON TRACK

STREET RAILWAY COMPANY WILL MAKE EFFORT TO STOP IT.

The officials of the local division of the Boston & Northern Street Railway Co. will make special efforts to stop the placing of torpedoes, blank cartridges and other explosives on the rails for the purpose of exploding them. For many years past this practice has been in vogue before the Fourth and while the officials say that they do not cause any damage to the cars, it is for the purpose of protecting their passengers that they will stop the nuisance. Boys found in this mischief will be arrested.

REV. FR. ROSA.

FREED FROM DEBT

St. Anthony's Church Burned Mortgage

DOCUMENT DESTROYED AT THIRD ANNIVERSARY

Parish Presented With 3000 Feet of Land

Yesterday was a happy occasion for the pastor and congregation of St. Anthony's Portuguese Catholic church for it not only marked the third anniversary of the little church but by the burning of a $7300 mortgage it marked the payment of the last debt on the building, which is now title-clear and was made threefold memorable by the presentation of 3000 feet of land to the church by James H. McDermott, the land lying directly in the rear of the present church edifice.

At solemn high mass in the morning the little church was packed to the doors, Catholics other than Portuguese being present in large numbers. The interior of the church was beautifully decorated with the American and Portuguese colors gracefully entwined while the altar was adorned with flowers.

The celebrant of the solemn high mass was Rev. J. A. Sirois, O. M. I., of the Tewksbury novitiate; assisted by Rev. Fr. Gularte, of New Bedford, as deacon, and Brother Fox, O. M. I., of Tewksbury novitiate, as sub-deacon.

The music for the mass was arranged by Peter A. Clune directing the choir. The regular church quartet sang, assisted by a large chorus. Miss Lulu Ginty presided at the organ. The program was: Prelude, Mendelssohn; Asperges, Witska; Introit, Falkenstein; Mass in D, Stearns; Veni Creator, Laville; Offertory, Lambllotte; chorus, Mozart; and finale, Huber.

The sermon was preached by Rev. J. V. Rosa, pastor of the church. He reviewed the three years which had resulted in the formation of a strong parish and the payment of a debt on the building which the Portuguese occupied.

Fr. Rosa said in part: "It was the initiative of Rev. A. J. Pimental, Portuguese pastor in Boston, that made the Portuguese of Lowell take the first steps toward the acquisition of the church, whose anniversary we, full of joy, celebrate today.

"In February, 1901, Rev. Fr. Pimentel appointed a committee of the following Portuguese: M. P. Mello, president; A. C. Picanco, treasurer; J. S. Ramos, secretary; A. J. de Avila, Francisca Vice, Francisca M. Gomes, U. S. Netto, Narciza M. Rebell, M. M. Santos, J. J. Duarte, A. J. E. Mello, F. M. Quartilho, J. E. de Aguiare and Antoine P. Machado. Permission was granted by Rev. Michael Ronan, pastor of St. Peter's church, and the first meeting was held in the rear of the old St. Peter's church, in Gorham street.

"The force of will and perseverance of Rev. Fr. Pimentel, and the generous co-operation of the Portuguese of Lowell, two elements essentially necessary to form a parish, are in evidence today, in the success which has crowned their efforts and religious abnegation.

"It is with the greatest of pleasure that we record the name of an Irish Catholic, who, far from being a stranger to the religious doings of the Portuguese colony, has given them counsel, and in a special manner has assisted them with his charity—Mr. James McDermott, showing at first interest for the Portuguese in the purchase of their church, has now added his name to the list of benefactors of the same.

"It is with justifiable joy that today the pastor with his generous parishioners destroy and reduce to ashes a mortgage of $7300, which has been lying on their shoulders for the past two years."

Solemn vespers were sung at 7 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Rosa and the choir rendered a special musical program, Daniel J. Donohue being among the soloists. Anniversary pamphlets were given away as souvenirs.

KNOWN IN LOWELL

CORNELIUS BOWEN TRAMPLED UNDER HORSE'S HOOFS.

BOSTON, June 20.—Cornelius Bowen, 52 years old, of Somerville, died about 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at the Cambridge hospital. Last Friday noon, in Harvard square, Cambridge, while trying to hold a horse which had been frightened by a firecracker, Mr. Bowen was thrown down and trampled under the animal's hoofs. His skull was fractured and he never regained consciousness.

Since 1879 Mr. Bowen had been in business for himself as teamster and safe mover. His office was at 12 Chardon street, Boston. One of the most difficult tasks accomplished by Mr. Bowen in Boston was raising the bell of the New Old South church to the belfry, June 15, 1895. The bell weighed 3285 pounds, and it was taken to a height of 190 feet and lodged in the tower. In the transportation line he was well known among the business men of Boston and vicinity, Manchester and Concord, N. H., Lowell, Worcester, Springfield, Newburyport and Providence.

Mr. Bowen was born in London, Eng., and came to this country in 1867. Somerville had been his home most of the time since. For eight years he was employed by J. Manning, safe mover. For many years he lived on Linwood street, in Somerville, and for the past two years his home had been at 21 Aldersey street. He leave a widow and six children; two sons were in business with him.

Mr. Bowen was a democratic candidate for alderman in ward 1 in 1902 and 1903. He was one of the prominent debaters in the Somerville board of trade. He was president of the Middlesex county board of the A. O. H., and a member of other orders.

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MINISTERS TALK

They Comment on Gen. Slocum Disaster

NEW YORK, June 20.—Nearly every minister in Greater New York referred in his weekly discourse to the Slocum disaster. A dominant note in all the sermons was similar but many strong comments were heard as to the cause of the disaster. Dr. R. C. MacArthur at the Calvary Baptist church, said: "The disaster abounds in practical and spiritual lessons. It belongs to the great mystery in human existence.

"This was not, however, what is known in a legal sense as an "Act of God." We err if we blame God for the neglect of man. God is not responsible for our violation of nature's laws.

"The sense of brotherhood has been strong in every soul since this disaster. We have learned the lesson of sympathy; we must learn that of precaution."

Rev. Dr. Huntington of Grace church said:

"It has been by such bitter experience as this that we have learned of self-protection against the violence of nature. These poor sufferers have not died in vain if following upon their dreadful pains there come better shipbuilding regulations, more rigid inspection of steam vessels and stricter discipline aboard vessels carrying human lives."

General dread caused by the disaster has greatly thinned the crowds which usually fill to the limit excursion steamers plying to nearby resorts. Many steamers with a capacity of 1500 to 2000 left their docks carrying less than half that number. Employes of the dock department stationed along the wharves for many ears declare they never before had seen such a sudden falling off in the crowds of pleasure seekers.

One of the most pathetic cases in connection with the burning of the Slocum is that of a German woman and her young daughter. They lived in an East Side tenement. The woman came to America with her husband several years ago, leaving a baby girl behind because of their poverty. The husband fell into evil habits and ran away. His wife managed to eke out an existence and had, after a long struggle saved money to send for the daughter in Germany. She is now on the ocean. Meanwhile, taking her second child, the poor woman went on the Slocum for a breath of fresh air. She was brought up dead from the wreckage with the child locked in her arms. The name of the steamer on which the first child is a passenger cannot be learned and the relief committee is arranging to have a watch kept at the immigrant station for her.

BIGAMY CHARGED

JOHN T. DILL ARRESTED IN SOUTH FRAMINGHAM.

FALL RIVER, June 20.—Detective Shay of this city Saturday arrested John T. Dill in South Framingham on a bench warrant from the Bristol grand jury, charging bigamy. Dill comes from Boston and is alleged to have there married Miss Margaret Mischer in 1876. Ten or 12 years ago he left her and, it is alleged, in 1891 married Miss Albertine Martel of this city, in Woonsocket, R. I. She lived with him but a few months and returned to her mother's home here on account of certain facts which she found in connection with her husband's Boston marriage.

About two years ago the second Mrs. Dill instituted divorce proceedings, alleging non-support and abusive treatment. Dill contested the petition and won the case, but his wife refused to live with him, laid the case before the local police, and an indictment was found against Dill at the June sitting of the grand jury.

In the meantime the first Mrs. Dill instituted divorce proceedings in Suffolk county, was granted an absolute divorce, married again, and is now living in East Boston. Dill is a traveling salesman for a Boston house and formerly lived here. He will be taken to New Bedford today.

ANNUAL PICNIC

OF FIRST TRINITARIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL AT WILLOW DALE.

The Sunday school of the First Trinitarian church at Willow Dale, Saturday, was largely attended. A special car filled to overflowing, left the church on Dutton street at 8.30 a.m., another at 1.30 a.m., and many came during the morning and afternoon on every regular car. The morning was spent in boating, general athletics, in roaming about the beautiful lakeside, and in swimming on the part of many of the boys.

After the basket dinner, there were interesting and exciting athletic events under the direction of the following committee on sports, which attended to its business in fine shape: Erle Farnham, Walter Kitchen, Albert Ludwig, Raymond Coffin and George Goodchild. The judges were Erle Garnham, starter, Raymond Coffin and Albert Ludwig. At the close of the contests, first, second and third prizes were awarded in order as follows: Running broad jump, Wm. Walmsley, 16 ft. 1 in., William Farley, Edgar Ames; boys' three-legged race, Thomas and Slaters, Mixer and Taylor, Hudson and Robinson; standing high jump, 4 ft. 3in., Wm. Farley, Edgar Ames, Flemings; boys' running race, Collins, Carter, Shedd; 100 yards dash, Edgar Ames, William Walmsley, Bradford; shot put, Bradford, Flemings, William Farley; girls' running race, Ethel Pendexter, Ruth Upton, Lois Kittredge; running high jump, William Farley, 4 ft. 6 in., Ames, Flemings; girls' potato race, Ethel Pendexter, Beatrice Hibbard, Ruth Upton; 220 yards dash, Edgar Ames, W. Farley, William Walmsley; girls' lemon race, Ethel Pendexter, Marion Gerry, Mabel Sanborn; standing broad jump, William Farley, 8 ft. 9 in., Edgar Ames, William Walmsley. The highest number of points were won as follows: First, William Farley, second Edgar Ames, third William Walmsley.

A game of baseball was then played, captained by Edgar Ames and W. Farley. The nines were as follows: Edgar Ames captain, Flemings, Walmsley, Coffin, Gunston, Robinson, Crane, Turnbull, Guy Hunt; William Farley, captain; Hintze, Girard, Cashin, Grindle, Farnham, Hovey, Welsh, Ludwig, Lynnan, Herbert Hope, Ambrose. The Edgar Ames won by a score of 14 to 1. Umpire, Edwin Kilpatrick. The pastor, Rev. George F. Kenngott and the superintendent, Mr. Hector Turnbull, were present during the day. The picnic was in every way a success.

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The vacation season is on in earnest, and now everybody who can is seeking change of scene and relaxation from daily toil.

Great interest centres in the republican national convention at Chicago, which opens tomorrow. The fact that there is no candidate but Teddy for the head of the ticket makes it a cut and dried affair.

GENERAL DUNDONALD'S CASE.

Gen. Dundonald, the commander of the troops in Canada, is relieved of his position because of some criticism of government officials in a speech at Montreal. He had experience in the Boer war which taught him the danger of having appointments in the army influenced by political consideration. He denounced interference by such officials for the good of the service and is forced out. Dundonald is right and the ministers are wrong.

"LONDON, June 20.—There are several reports that the retreat of Gen. Stakelberg, who was defeated in the battle of Telissu, is imminently threatened, if it has not been already cut off, and news of his complete isolation is confidently expected here."

"Confidently expected here" shows how the sympathy goes in London. No doubt the defeat of Russia at all points is confidently expected and hoped for in London, but in that the friends of Japan may be disappointed.

TOO SHOCKING TO CONTEMPLATE.

The details of the disaster to the General Slocum are too horrible for the average reader. The more is found out about the terrible affair, the more it appears that there was the grossest negligence on the part of the management of the big vessel. The eyes of the world have been opened to two of the most dreadful dangers that can be imagined—one, fire in theatres or large halls, the other fire in large excursion steamers. The result should bring about reforms not only in this country but in every country in the world.

SENATOR LODGE'S PLATFORM.

Senator Lodge will build the platform to be adopted by the republican convention. That is a sufficient manifest of what it will be. It will be Lodge-like—ingeniously evasive, non-committal, with a large proportion of patriotic bombast touching the "glorious" record of the republican party, the all pervading surfeit of prosperity that has resulted from the republican protective policy. It will dwell upon the completion of the arrangements for the Panama canal and the success of the mission to release Perdicaris—all of which marks the unparalleled progress of this nation under the wise, patriotic and "trusted" direction of the republican party. Lodge can be relied upon to evade all vital questions and to supply the deficiency with hot air.

THE PRESS THE DREAD OF TYRANTS.

What a wonderful instrument is the press of a country, what a potent weapon for good in the interests of a nation. The occurrences of every civilized nation are laid before the readers of the daily paper as regularly as the rising and setting of the sun.

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These occurrences incite comment. The press draws just conclusions in regard to every event of importance and thus public opinion is built up.

Public opinion is the power "wherein doth sit the dread and fear of kings." It is not long ago since tyrants sat unmoved by any power save the bombs exploding against their embattled castles; but now when the emperor of Germany finds in a daily newspaper a statement which he thinks would prejudice public opinion against him, he hastens to have the statement corrected. Even the Czar of Russia, who is regared as the most absolute ruler on earth, is not indifferent to the statements and the comments of the press.

SEEN AND HEARD

The Boston saloons give trading stamps to customers.

The office of superintendent of schools was established in 1859.

Blueberries and blackberries are in the market.

Builders say that it costs them from 30 to 50 per cent. more to build a house or business block today than it did five years ago.

The present bridge across the Concord, on Church street, was built in 1855 at a cost of $11,295. It stands as a monument to early economy and first-class workmanship.

Our sister city, Lawrence, claims the honor of having among its citizens Harvard's oldest living graduate, Rev. Joseph W. Cross, a retired Congregational minister, who is 96 years of age.

Miss Anna V. Regan of this city was bridemaid at the wedding of William B. Ryan and Miss Julia A. Graham in South Lawrence, Wednesday. Rev. Fr. John J. Gilday, formerly of Lowell, tied the knot.

Dr. Leonard Huntress is certainly much honored, both in the line of his profession, in being a member of the Lowell board of health and a trustee of the state hospital in Tewksbury. And he bears his honors modestly.

Forty years ago, June 17, 1864, Capt. Wm. Wyman, one of Lowell's earliest residents, died at the age of 82. He owned a farm on the heights of Belvidere on which now stand many of our finest private residents, and what is popularly called "Quality hill." Capt. Wyman constructed many of Lowell's buildings, notably Wyman's Exchange.

The long columns of weddings in The Sun last week were good reading, but uppermost in it all is the warning to young and unmarried men. This is leap year; that's why weddings are so numerous. Mark you males of the single state of blessedness, it isn't safe for a young man to go outdoors during the year 1904.

A letter taking the part of the dog accused of biting a woman, in Shaw street, a few days ago has been received at this office. The writer, evidently one of the dog's most loyal friends, and one who believes in standing up for the under dog, says that the dog in question is the pet of the neighborhood and that he would not have bitten the woman but for the fact that she ran away from him, yelling as she ran. The writer further claims that he was an eye witness to the affair and declares that the dog did not knock her down.

All dog lovers are talking of the feat of a big wolf hound, Pilot, the leader of the Middlothian country club. He jumped his nine-foot kennel on May 2 and on May 7 arrived at the farm on which he was bred in Sibley, Mo having travelled a distance of 400 miles in less than six days. In his journey he was obliged to cross the Illinois, Mississippi and Missouri rivers and encountered many other obstacles to fast travel. What makes the feat notable is that Pilot had been sent all the way to the country club in an express car. It has been decided that after such an heroic attempt to go back to his first home he has earned the right to stay there.

A friend of mine has a cat about a year old, who is a great hunter. She has brought home all kinds of creeping and crawling things but her latest achievement caps the climax. The other day she took a longer walk than usual and returned with a black adder, four feet long. Kitty had the snake fast, holding it just back of the head, but was not able to kill it herself and cried for assistance. This cat keeps the dogs out of the yard, and there aren't many that want a second encounter with little black "Ping-Pong."

Teddy is a bright little fellow with curly hair, but he must have forgotten his arithmetic lessons since he left school. He came around the other day with an example which he thought was a sticker. He gave it to the Seen and Heard man and put it up to him. He wanted to know what 1-3 of 2 1-3 was. The Seen and Heard man told him, but Teddy said that the right answer was 1-7. Teddy could not see into it that the answer was 7-9, and claimed that he knew it was 1-7. Seeing that I could not convince him I let him have his own way, but I am afraid that if Teddy was getting $2 1-3 a week and if he loafed four days and the boss gave him 1-7 of that amount, he would do some tall kicking for the remainder of his pay.

A kick as broad as it is long has been registered against the throwers of rice who follow married couples to the Middlesex street depot and shower them with the pesky stuff. The kick would not be so general, perhaps, but for the fact that the throwers of rice seem to think that all the men and women in the waiting room are brides and grooms and the result is that persons who have been married for years and others who are not married and never intend to be are covered with rice from head to foot.

A drummer on his way to Boston after a day of strenuous canvassing was at the depot Wednesday evening when so many couples started on their wedding trips. He had fallen asleep on a settee and when the announcer cried "train for Boston" the drummer awoke and wondered, for a moment, where he was at. He was completely covered with rice and he told me that his ride to Boston was a very uncomfortable one. The rice was wending its way down his back; he was sitting on rice and there was rice beneath his belt. He had promised his wife he would be home at 7 o'clock and she was inclined to be fussy. He explained that he had not found it convenient to meet customers just when he wanted to and was delayed on that account. The dear little woman believed him until he undressed for bed and then there was a family row. The drummer went to bed and when his good woman entered the room she found rice in generous quantities about the floor. "George —— what do you mean," she exclaimed "You told me a falsehood, so you did, you mean man boo-hoo and I'll just leave you. You went to a wedding and you never thought of me. I didn't think you would abuse me like that, boo-hoo-hoo."

"Now dear" said George "just let me explain." "Explain, explain, you wretch," said the mad little woman, "you're always explaining. You want to tell me that you were in the depot when a newly married couple arrived and they covered you with rice, but if you dare tell me that I'll call you, I'll call you, a-a-boo-hoo, oh you wretch, I wish I could die." The drummer told me that his ride from Lowell to Boston, sitting in rice, and rice itchy, was comfortable compared to his experience at home. "She is not yet quite sure that I didn't attend a wedding and kiss the bride. If my wife had left me I would have sued the railroad for alienation of affection."

The drummer does not treat the rice throwing half as seriously as some who did not have jealous wives to face. The man who has the sweeping to do has also "butted in" on the kick and it is expected that considerable influence will be brought to bear to have the custom abandoned.

NORTH BILLERICA

Mr. Roger Barrington and Christopher Walker sail on the Saxonia for England tomorrow.

Mr. Charles Hurst, the popular butcher was all smiles Saturday morning; it's a girl.

The Watsons of Lowell and a picked nine played a seven inning game on Faulkner park grounds Saturday afternoon. The Watsons won by a score of 3 to 4.

REPORTED BY WIRELESS.

NEW YORK, June 18—The Hamburg-American line steamer Blucher from Hamburg for New York has been reported in communication by wireless telegraph 80 miles off Nantucket Lightship 8.80 a. m.

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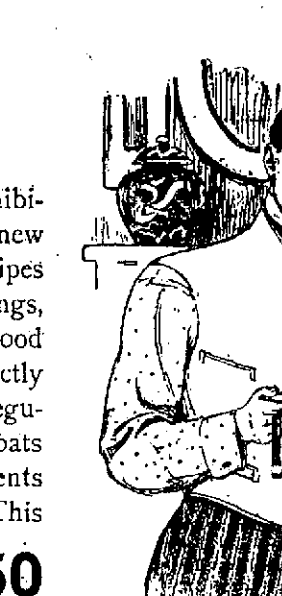


HIGHBALL WON

HE LANDED THE GREAT AMERICAN DERBY.

CHICAGO, Ill., June 20—Highball, first; Woodson, second; Rapid Water, third. After repeated efforts the East took the Great American Derby away from the West Saturday in as sensational a race as has ever been seen for the big western turf honor. English Lad, the short-priced hope of the West, finished fourth.

Proceeds, which went out in front and kept there for nearly a mile, finished last. The Derby, in one respect, was the most remarkable in turf history, its claim to fame resting on the fact that not a dollar was bet at the track, unless it was between friends and in such a way that the army of police, Pinkertons, constables and track officials could not detect it.

As Highball began to move up in the back stretch to a commanding position, the enthusiasm in the grand stand was perceptibly dampened and the cheers that greeted the winner of the great western classic were feeble compared with those of years when western favorites wore the floral horseshoes.

Highball's price was 4 to 1 to win, with 2 to 1 to place, and even money to show. He ruled at the same figure as Moharib, the two constituting the second choice. English Lad's price was 8 to 5 to win and 3 to 5 to run second. Woodson, who ran second, was priced at 20 to 1, and Rapid Water, who finished third, carried 6 to 1.

SECRETARY CORTELYOU

ADDRESSED ALUMNI OF WESTFIELD NORMAL SCHOOL.

WESTFIELD, June 20.—The triennial meeting and banquet of the alumni of the Westfield state normal school which is the second oldest institution of its kind in the country, was held yesterday afternoon, Secretary George B. Cortelyou as president of the association, presiding.

The morning was passed socially, the new Dickenson Hall being thrown open for inspection.

The banquet took place in the assembly hall at 1 o'clock Saturday afternoon, with covers laid for 500 persons. Secretary Cortelyou, in his address, said:

"This is an age of wonderful achievement. Progress and prosperity are all about us. In all lines of human endeavor, this mighty young nation presses forward. From a weakling has developed a giant. From three millions we have grown to more than eight millions. From a few states on one ocean we have become a world power. From a problem we have come to many problems—aye, and from a few dangers we have come to many dangers. When these things are realized to their fullest extent, thoughtful men and women who study the life of the republic will ask themselves in what directions they must look for the safe guards of the future. "In an address last evening, before the Westfield board of trade, in talking upon industrial and commercial subjects, I said 'The eternal principle of honor and fair doings should be in the home and taught in the schools of the land. From our homes and schools must come the incentive and the inspiration, for material prosperity is but a poor empty thing if achieved through any sacrifice of the moral sense of our people. And if I know of no more appropriate place to repeat than right here ...

AIMED AT MELLEN

Threat Made to Blow up His Train

NEW YORK, June 20.—There was consternation yesterday among the officials of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad company and the Pennsylvania over news of another anonymous letter sent to President Charles S. Mellen of the New Haven road.

Extra precautions were taken to guard the special train on which Mr. Mellen and his party left the Jersey City station of the Pennsylvania at 5.15 Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Mellen is a delegate from Connecticut to the republican national convention. The letter which threatened to do him violence and gave warning of an attack to be made upon the special train was postmarked Wilkes-barre, Penn.

It was learned yesterday that railroad detectives had been secretly stationed at various points all along the route, from New Haven to Mott Haven and from Jersey City to Chicago.

While Mr. Mellen was president of the Northern Pacific railroad he had to deal with a band of robbers who demanded $50,000 under threats to destroy the property under his control.

The headquarters of the band, as indicated in the letters sent to Mr. Mellen was at that time in Butte, Mont. That was in October last. Soon afterward Mr. Mellen became president of the New Haven lines.

Not content with their villanies out west, the band pursued Mr. Mellen to Connecticut. One of the first communications placed on his desk by his private secretary was a letter threatening to blow up the Adams express train unless $5000 was forthcoming. They did place 15 ties in front of an Adams express train at Pelham.

A stick of dynamite was also found on the tracks.

FOURTH OF JULY EXCURSION.

A grand opportunity for enjoying the holiday is to take the Boston & Maine trip to Niagara Falls at the very low rate of $10.40 for the round trip via the West Shore and $9.90 via the Delaware & Hudson and Erie. Tickets are good going on all regular trains July 1st to 2d; returning on regular trains not after July 4th.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Alphonse Audette, son of Edward and Emelie Audette, and Miss Amanda Fortier, daughter of John and Lase Fortier, were married yesterday afternoon at St. Joseph's rectory by Rev. Fr. Campeau. The witnesses were Mr. Alphonse Fortier and Miss Dianna Godin. After the ceremony a wedding luncheon was served at the home of the bride's parents, 130 Cross street. Mr. and Mrs. Audette were the recipients of many beautiful and costly gifts.

LAFRANCE—PROVENCHER.

Albert F. Lafrance, a well-known young resident of Lawrence, and Miss C. Delia Provencher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Narbert L. Provencher of Concord street were united in marriage by Rev. Fr. Nolin, O. M. I., at the parochial residence of St. Jean Baptiste church, last evening.

The bride was attired in a gown of white silk and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. She was attended by Miss Clara Lafrance, sister of the groom, and Napoleon Provencher, brother of the bride, was best man. They will reside in Lawrence.

The bridemaid wore white crepe de chine and carried white pinks.

Following the wedding ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of the bride's parents, 188 Concord street, where a reception was held.

The reception was attended by many of the friends and relatives of the couple, including a large delegation from the West End club of Lawrence, of which the groom is an active member. The newly married couple departed last evening for an extended trip to Canada.

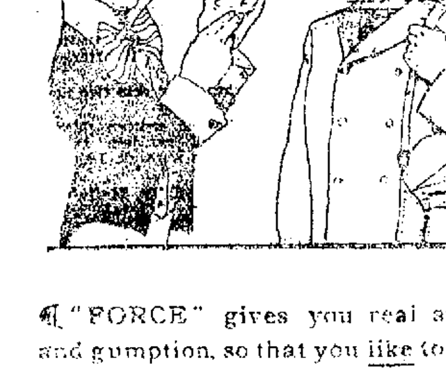
TEWKSBURY

A number of members of the Young Women's Christian association, with friends enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Enoch Foster of Tewksbury, Saturday afternoon. The large house was thrown open for them and on the spacious grounds a basket picnic was enjoyed. It was a very pleasant outing and all were appreciative of the thoughtfulness of Mrs. Foster.

Rev. C. L. Pierce of the Tewksbury First Baptist church occupied the pulpit of the Centre Congregational church yesterday morning, preaching in exchange with the pastor, Rev. Mr. Minchin. His sermon was very strong and practical.

The "central" of the farmer's exchange will be installed today and the lines will then be connected. For some time past the 'phones have been installed in the residences.

The Grange will hold its annual strawberry festival on Friday evening and a good time is promised by the committee in charge.



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BARELY ESCAPED

The Schooner Harold L. Berry Almost Lost

SHE COLLIDED WITH ANOTHER VESSEL

The Distress Signal Was at Once Hoisted

CHATHAM, June 20.—The lumber-laden schooner Harold L. Berry of Bath, Me., narrowly escaped being sent to the bottom of Pollock Rip Slue channel with all on board at 11 o'clock Saturday night. The Berry was heading southward and was on the starboard tack heading toward Pollock Rip lightship when suddenly out of the thick haze loomed another schooner, said to be the James L. Maloy of Rockland, directly upon her.

Before any alarms could be given the oncoming vessel, running at full speed, struck the Berry on her starboard bow. The impact was terrific, as shown by the fact that the Berry's anchor was broken completely in two. The anchor received the greater part of the force of the crash, however, and the boat being loaded with lumber was what saved the Berry from being sent to the bottom. The recoil from the anchor caused the oncoming vessel to sheer away somewhat and then to tear alongside the whole length of the Berry, her bowsprit and stem ripping away the bulwarks and rigging and snapped off both of the Berry's masts about 20 feet from the deck, sending them crashing down upon the decks and over the stern.

It seemed miraculous that none of the Berry's crew were killed or knocked overboard, with the spars, sails, blocks and rigging falling from aloft in every direction. Capt. Barter was on deck when the collision occurred, but his wife, who was accompanying him on this voyage, was asleep below. The shock threw her out of her bunk and she rushed on deck, thinking the vessel was sinking.

Just as she emerged through the companionway the mainmast went over the stern with a crash and the jib-boom of the colliding vessel went scraping past just above her head. Her peril was imminent and she narrowly escaped instant death.

The Berry's main rigging was so stout and held to the mainmast so tenaciously that it pulled the anchor off of the starboard bow of the other schooner, snapping its chain and causing it to drop on top of the Berry's deckload, but fortunately striking no one in its fall.

The colliding schooner slid off into the darkness and was quickly lost to sight in the thick haze.

Capt. Barter let go his port anchor to prevent drifting ashore into the breakers on Pollock rip and endeavored to clear away some of the wreckage. Everything was in such a complete mass of entanglement that they could make but slight headway, so at daybreak a distress signal was set on the stump of the mainmast.

The life-saving stations are not manned at this season of the year, but a wrecking crew put out from Monomoy accompanied by Keeper Kelley of the Monomoy point life-saving station, and succeeded in towing the Berry in out of the channel while the west currents were running yesterday afternoon, assisted by Capt. Mayo in the wrecking schooner Gleaner. The tug Pallas is expected to arrive from Boston before morning to tow the Berry to her destination.

She was bound from Bath for Vineyard Haven for orders and will have to be discharged before repairs can be made. What became of the colliding schooner or how extensive were her injuries is not known by those on board the Berry.

KILLED HIS SON

Father Accused of a Revolting Crime

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., June 20.—Chauncey Hotaling, aged 40 years, was placed in jail here yesterday afternoon charged with the murder of his three-year-old blind son, whom he had always abhorred, because of the child's infirmity and the attempted murder of his wife. Hataling lived in the town of Vestal, about five miles from this city. Early yesterday morning he burned down the house in which the child was, and supposed until several hours later that he had also killed and burned his wife.

O'Donnell's hacks are the best in town.

ON FATHER'S GRAVE

GIDEON BURTON ENDED HIS LIFE.

BENNINGTON, Vt., June 20.—The body of Gideon Burton, a former resident, was found on the grave of his father in the village cemetery early yesterday morning. His head was near the monument. A revolver from which two shots had been fired told the story.

One bullet had entered under the left eye and the other the mouth. Burton had apparently been dead several hours. Three dollars was found in his pockets.

Saturday afternoon a message was received from his wife, who lives at 376 Decatur street, Brooklyn, stating that he had left home Thursday and had told her he was coming here to kill himself on his father's grave.

He arrived about 7 Saturday evening but did not go to the home of his sister-in-law. During the evening he met several acquaintances, and he was last seen about 11 eating at a lunch cart.

About 11.30 persons living near the cemetery heard shots, but thinking it was some one shooting at cats, paid no attention to it.

Burton was 66 years of age and a compositor by trade. For a number of years he worked on the Bennington Banner, and for 30 years had conducted a job office in New York and Brooklyn.

He had been despondent since the death of a daughter three years ago. His wife was Miss Rosa Morton of this village.

BANDIT RAISULI

Says That He Was Unjustly Used

LONDON, June 20.—The correspondent of the Daily Mail at Tangier, under date of June 19, says that a letter had been received on that day from Raisuli in which the bandit says:

"It is well that the Englishmen and the Americans should know the truth regarding my doings and the reasons why I have taken Perdicaris. All that has been said at Tangier about me as well as the statement that I hate the Christian Europeans and want to drive them from Morocco, is wrong.

"I desire to do no wrong to any Christian. Should trouble come it will come from Europe, for if troops are landed we will fight."

Raisuli lays the cause of the present trouble to the deposed governor of Tangier, who, with his family, governed Tangier for generations, persecuted Raisuli's tribe, killed boys, mutilated children and disregarded all the principles of their religion.

Raisuli says that when he went to Tangier, he had no intention of taking Perdicaris any more than he had of taking any other European or American, but he is now glad that he took an American for, he says, America will be forced to fight the sultan, overthrow the governor and release the innocent prisoners.

The letter also says: "Mr. Perdicaris is safe and wants for nothing except to see his wife."

A special messenger from the brigand arrived at the British legation yesterday. It is rumored Raisuli desires that his immunity shall be guaranteed by Great Britain and the United States.

The legations here confidently anticipate the arrival of Messrs. Perdicaris and Varley within two days.

"QUEEN" IS DEAD

Colored Badgerer Killed by White Man

NEW YORK, June 20.—Ida Howard, alias "Goldie Moran," a pretty negress who was known as the "colored badger queen of the tenderloin," was shot and killed early today by her common law husband, Chas. J. Arthur, 25 years old, a white man. The shooting was the culmination of a quarrel in which the couple had been engaged for more than a week, and occurred after Arthur had been apparently deserted by the woman. Arthur was arrested as he was about to fire a fifth shot into the woman's body as she lay in the street where she had fallen. Mrs. Howard was 28 years of age. She was very light in color and hardly distinguishable from a white woman. She had been arrested many times and her picture is in the rogues gallery A week ago, it is said, a quarrel started between the couple because of the attentions the woman accused Arthur of paying to other women. Before the officers could remove Arthur from the scene they were set upon by angry negroes who threatened violence until they were beaten off. Arthur said he had intended to use the remaining bullet in the revolver to take his own life. The woman was taken to a hospital but died before she reached the institution.

FATALLY BURNED

NEIGHBORS TRIED TO RESCUE MISS FLANDERS.

NEWBURYPORT, June 20.—Miss Charlotte Flanders, aged 86, was fatally burned at her home, 12 Tyng street, yesterday. She was filling a lighted oil stove, when her apron brushed against the blaze, and an instant her clothing was a mass of flames.

She ran into the adjoining tenement of George E. Libby, where the fire was extinguished by William E. Brown, A. A. Jackson and Mr. Libby, not, however, until the clothing had been practically burned from the upper part of her body. The attending physician said she could not live.

Mr. Brown, in throwing the burning oil stove from the house and in helping extinguish the flames that enveloped Miss Flanders, was badly burned about the hands and face. Miss Flanders resided with her brother, Enoch C. Flanders, the town crier.

LOSS OF $50,000

SIXTEEN BUILDINGS DESTROYED AT MARS HILL.

MARS HILL, Me., June 20.—A fire which broke out in a stable in the rear of Thomas Mahan's clothing store at 1.30 yesterday morning swept a path through one side of the village, driven by a high wind, and in less than an hour property valued at $50,000 was destroyed.

Sixteen buildings and their contents were burned, including the Bangor & Aroostook railroad's freight depot and coal shed, the stores of W. H. Farley and Thomas Mahan, potato storehouses of Cleveland, Robinson & Co., Sanford & York, Currier & Graham, York & Henderson, R. J. Colbeth, Dillon & York and Pitcher, White & Co., the hotel of Mrs. John Clark, the residence of Thomas Mahan and a number of small dwellings, stables and other buildings.

Five box and two flat cars belonging to the Bangor & Aroostook and loaded with mixed freight were burned to the truck frames.

Twenty telegraph poles fell in the fire and communication was cut off until late yesterday afternoon.

The fire burned fiercely and a change of wind would have wiped out the entire village.

Several thousand barrels of potatoes were roasted and make up a good share of the loss.

The insurance is estimated at $10,000.

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JEWELER MISSING

WENT TO BOSTON AND DID NOT RETURN.

An inventor and jewler, Frederick Ricard, has been missing from his boarding house on French street since February. He was the inventor of a lathe for jewelers, and left here for Boston to make arrangements for patenting and selling his invention.

At the boarding house it was thought by Mr. Scott, the owner, and others that Mr. Ricard had gone to Washington in connection with his invention, but when considerable time had elapsed and nothing was heard from him they made inquiries of his relatives in Vermont. His wife, who lives in East Randolph, Vt., and his sister wrote that they had not heard from him or seen him this year.

Three weeks ago he was seen in Lawrence soliciting orders for repairing clocks and it has been expected he would return most any day to his boarding place here.

The missing man is about 50 years old, weighs about 170 pounds, medium height, light mustache partially bald on the front of his head.

PRETTY LAWN PARTY

HELD BY LITTLE GIRLS IN AID OF ST. PETER'S ORPHANAGE.

A lawn party conducted Saturday afternoon under the management of three little grammar school girls, the Misses Janet Rowlandson, Florence Gallagher and Elizabeth Riley on the grounds surrounding the residence of W. E. Rowlandson and Mrs. Robert E. Crowley in Pleasant street, and in aid of St. Peter's orphanage, brought the sisters in charge of the worthy institution over $70.

The affair was a brilliant success in every detail and the clever little maidens to whom the success was due are entitled to much praise.

The little ones had been working for the success many days prior to the event, going about the neighborhood soliciting articles for sale. There were several tables about the grounds and during the afternoon all did a thriving business.

The candy table was in charge of Miss Janet Rowlandson, Miss Elizabeth Riley and Miss Florence Gallagher. Cake table, Miss Marion Gallagher, Miss Lillian Roundtree, Miss Amy LeFevre, Miss Mossie McKeon. College ices, Miss Francis Simonds, Miss Anna McQuade, Miss Modrina Rowlandson. Mr. Campbell McDonald had charge of the tonic table.

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NEW PROFESSOR

Dr. Weed Will Teach at Normal School

Dr. Clarence Moores Weed, professor of zoology and entomology at the New Hampshire state college at Durham, has accepted the position of teacher of biology in the Lowell normal school. He succeeds Miss Carolyn Morse and will begin his duties at the opening of the next term.

Dr. Weed was born 38 years ago in Toledo, O., and moved to Lansing, Mich., at an early date, where he was educated. He has received the following degrees: BSc, Michigan Agricultural college, 1883; MSc, 1884; DSc, Ohio state university.

After graduating he was associated with Orange Judd on the Prairie Farmer in Chicago for two years, then became assistant state entomologist of Illinois for three or four years; then entomologist at the Ohio experiment station until called to New Hampshire in 1891 as professor of zoology and entomology at the New Hampshire college. He was appointed state nursery inspector in New Hampshire in 1903.

Dr. Weed is the author of many bulletins from the Ohio and New Hampshire experiment stations, has contributed many interesting articles for various leading magazines and is the author of a dozen books, including "Insects and Insecticides," "Spraying Crops," "The Flower Beautiful," "Nature Biographies," "Life Histories of American Insects," "Stories of Insect Life," etc., etc.

He is joint author with Dr. Ned Dearborn, assistant curator, department of birds, Field Columbian Museum, Chicago, of Birds in Their Relation to Man," which work is wisely used as a text book in the schools and colleges. Dr. Dearborn received his degree DSc, under Dr. Weed, for post graduate work at New Hampshire college.

Dr. Weed was elected chairman of the school board in Durham in 1902 and was unanimously re-elected for a term of three years in 1903. He was chairman of the committee that prepared the "Outline of Nature Study for New Hampshire Schools," adopted in 1902 by the state teachers' association.

He is in charge of the department of nature study in Martha's Vineyard summer institute, and for the past two years was instructor in nature study in the New Hampshire summer institute.

He has been president of the Cambridge entomological club, and is now vice-president of the National association of economic entomologists. For many years he has been the editor of the entomological department of the American Naturalist. He is married and has three children. In educational circles and as an author he is well known throughout the United States.

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WILLIAM J. BRYAN

SAYS NOMINEE WILL BE ONE WHO SUPPORTED 1896 PLATFORM.

NEW YORK, June 20—William J. Bryan arrived yesterday afternoon to speak at the anti-Parker convention in Cooper Union tonight. He was accompanied by M. F. Dunlap, Mr. Hearst's Illinois manager, and the two took adjoining rooms at the Hoffman house, where all the evening they entertained democratic leaders.

Mr. Bryan denied that the fact that Mr. Dunlap came here with him meant that there was to be a general conference here of the radical forces. He said he might see such leaders as Charles F. Murphy, but he had no special engagement to meet them.

Mr. Bryan laid down a dictum regarding the nomination of a candidate for President at St. Louis.

"The fact that a man opposed the ticket in 1896," he declared, "will be an insurmountable barrier to his nomination. I have said that no man who failed to support the ticket then should be named at St. Louis."

"It has been reported that you would agree to Mr. Olney."

"Besides having supported the ticket in 1896 candidates must be in thorough sympathy and accord with the present purposes and principles of the democratic party. Mr. Olney did not support the ticket in 1896, but he did in 1900 by writing a letter."

O'Donnell's funeral hacks are the neatest.

BRILLIANT WEDDING

THE PRESIDENT'S NEPHEW WAS THE GROOM.

HYDE PARK, N. Y., June 18.—President and Mrs. Roosevelt were the guests of honor today at the wedding of Miss Helen Roosevelt and Theodore Douglass Robinson. The bride is a daughter of J. Roosevelt who is a cousin of the president, and the bridegroom is a son of the president's sister, Mrs. D. Robinson of New York. Lieut. Robert M. Ferguson, a personal friend of the president, received the president and his party at the station which was prettily decorated with flags and bunting. The president, Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Carew were escorted by Lieut. Ferguson to a carriage in waiting and driven rapidly to the picturesque little Episcopal church in the village where the ceremony was performed. The church was filled with guests when the presidential party arrived and as the guests of honor entered the assembled guests rose and remained standing until the president and Mrs. Roosevelt were seated. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Ashton a friend of the Roosevelt family. The bridesmaids were Miss Alice Roosevelt, daughter of the president; Miss Eleanor Roosevelt, his niece, Miss Caroline Drayton, Miss Mary Newbold, Miss Corrie Douglas Robinson, Miss N. Wood and the Misses Wolryche Whitmore.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, the president and Mrs. Roosevelt and several hundred other guests attended an elaborate reception to the young couple at the handsome country home of J. Roosevelt Roosevelt, about 20 miles from the village. President Roosevelt and party will leave Hyde Park this afternoon for New York. They will pass Sunday as the guests of Attorney General Knox at his country home near Valley Forge, Pa.

Miss Annie Smith of West Sixth street, Centralville, has left Lowell to accept a very lucrative position in Malden.

FIFTEEN INJURED

Bad Trolley Accident at Spencer

SPENCER, June 20.—Fifteen persons were injured in a trolley accident on the Warren, Brookfield & Spencer line yesterday morning near the vinegar works, a car being derailed by spreading rails and smashing into a feed wire pole.

The accident took place shortly after 10 o'clock. The car was west bound, and was coasting slowly down grade, with Charles Woodis of Brookfield at the handles, under charge of Chief Motorman Paul Jerome. When the car left the track and struck the pole the abrupt stop caused the rear end to be thrown askew, the passengers being thrown to the ground or against the seats. The motorman applied the brakes and stuck to his post.

Prompt medical assistance was given to the injured, the most seriously hurt being John Barry. No blame is attached to any one. The service on the main line was only delayed 15 minutes.

HANGED HIMSELF

PATRICK CARNEY OF ROXBURY WAS DESPONDENT.

BOSTON, June 20.—In a moment of despondency over the illness of his wife and children, Patrick Carney, 39 years old, of 6 Riverside street, Roxbury, committed suicide by hanging yesterday afternoon.

His body was found suspended from a beam in the yard of the N. Y., N. H. & H. railroad, shortly after 6 o'clock, by one of the watchmen.

Carney was employed by the railroad. It is supposed he brooded over the misfortunes of his family until rendered desperate. He had evidently made preparations for the deed, for a clothesline, which he probably took from his house, was used.

Mrs. Carney and her two children are in the south department of the city hospital with diphtheria. But they are convalescent and in no danger. Mrs. Carney was able to sit up yesterday, and the two children are well advanced toward recovery, so that Carney's rash act is the more regrettable.

He is highly spoken of by his neighbors as a kind father and a good workman.

HELPLESS WOMAN

FOUND ALONE IN MIDST OF HIDDEN WEALTH.

MILFORD, Ct., June 20—Amid piles of rags, bottles, tin cans, boxes and rubbish, the selectmen of this town found Miss Helen Prince, living alone, and helplessly ill at her home in a secluded part of the town. The house, which had once been a fashionable residence, was surrounded with weeds and bushes so that the way to it was well-nigh impassable. Miss Prince was moved to the home of a neighbor and the officials began to clean up the house. In the tin cans they found small change, silver pieces and coppers. In the lining of clothing, in the upholstery of the furniture, and tied in the corners of the rags, they came across more money. The boxes gave forth more wealth, and two bank books were unearthed showing large sums on deposit in New Haven and Bridgeport institutions. In all, the discoveries will aggregate several thousand dollars.

In later years Miss Price has done washing and dug clams, for a living. Every one supposed she was penniless, and the finding of so much wealth stowed away in her home has caused a sensation. The money has been given into the keeping of the officials, and the aged woman will be sent to some institution where she will receive proper care.

DRESS AFIRE

ACCIDENT AT A WEDDING IN BOSTON.

BOSTON, June 20.—At the wedding of Miss Fannie Reinstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Reinstein, and Barnett Freedman in Swartz hall last evening the dress of Miss Lena Reinstein, the maid of honor, caught fire. Joseph Kalis, the best man, promptly extinguished the blaze, but not until Miss Reinstein's right shoulder was badly burned.

This is the third similar accident in Boston within a month and will furnish an added argument for those rabbis who proposed an abolition of lighted candles at Jewish weddings.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Leftman. The bride wore white silk crepe de chine trimmed with chiffon. The groom was ushered under the canopy by Mr. and Mrs. Victor Reinstein, Mr. Reinstein being a brother of the bride, while the bride was escorted by Mr. and Mrs. H. Kalis. Miss Bessie Freedland was flower girl and Hyman Kalis page boy. The ushers were Harry Cohen, Samuel Freedland and J. Rosenberg.

A reception and collation followed. Mr. and Mrs. Freedman will reside at 82 Brighton street.

WANTS RELEASE

Sellars Appeals to a Higher Court

SALEM, June 20.—The full bench of the supreme judicial court will at 9.30 a. m. tomorrow consider the petition of Valentine T. Sellars, the Lawrence newspaper man, now serving a nine months' sentence in the house of correction in this city. Sellars was indicted by the Essex county grand jury for alleged libel on the superintendent of the almshouse in Lawrence.

When the case was called in the superior criminal court he failed to answer and was defaulted. Subsequently a capias was issued by the court for his arrest, it having been learned that he was in New Hampshire. Several days later Sellars appeared in court and Justice Wait refused to waive the default and he was sentenced to the house of correction without trial. Justice Wait informed Sellars when sentence was passed that the only way he could secure release from the house of correction and stand trial was by habeas corpus proceedings.

From lawyers it was learned that in case the supreme court grants Sellars his petition, he will either be held in heavy bail, or else remanded to jail without bonds. He will in case he is released, have to answer to the indictment now hanging over him.

It is claimed that Sellars is the first person ever sentenced in Massachusetts under indictment, who was not given a trial. So far as his case is concerned the government was ready for a trial, but when defaulted, he was a fugitive. The case, owing to the habeas corpus feature, attracts much attention among lawyers.

O'Donnell's wedding hacks can't be beat.

AT VALLEY FORGE

The "Evacuation Day" Speaker Was Roosevelt

PHILADELPHIA, June 20.—On the historic spot at Valley Forge, where Washington and his army suffered in order that the United States might become a nation, President Roosevelt yesterday delivered a notable address.

This was "Evacuation Day" at Valley Forge and the anniversary was celebrated appropriately in the little edifice which has been erected on what is to be the site of the Washington monument church.

Accompanied by Mrs. Roosevelt, the attorney-general and Mrs. Knox and members of the president's immediate party, President Roosevelt drove to Valley Forge, from Mr. Knox's beautiful country home, Valley Forge farm, to attend divine service at 3.45 p.m., in the Washington Memorial chapel.

After the simple service of the Episcopal church had been concluded, Rev. Herbert Burke, rector of All Saints church at Morristown, Pa., introduced the president, who said in part:

"It is a noteworthy thing that this state of Pennsylvania should have within its borders the places which mark the two turning points in our history, Gettysburg, which saw the high tide of the Rebellion—Valley Forge, which saw the getting beyond the danger point of the revolution.

"There would have been no point in commemorating what was done at Valley Forge, if Gettysburg had not given us the national right to commemorate it. If we were now split up into a dozen wrangling little commonwealths, if we lacked the power to keep away here on our own continent, within our own lines, or to show ourselves a unit as against foreign aggression, then indeed the Declaration of Independence would read like empty sound and the constitution would not be worth the paper upon which it was written, save as a study for antiquarians.

"There have been other crises than those that culminated during the war for independence and the great Civil war, there have been great deeds and great men at other periods of our national history, but there never has been another deed vital to the welfare of the nation save two—the deed of those who founded and the deed of those who saved the republic. There never has been another man whose life has been vital to the republic save Washington and Lincoln. I am not here to say anything about Lincoln, but I do not see how any American can think of either of them without thinking of the other, because they represent the same work."

A FEW OPINIONS OF

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We could use several pages of this size in reproducing short extracts from original letters in our possession, received from enthusiastic friends of "Seven Barks." There is no evidence of merit deserved we cannot produce, but the quickest way to settle all doubt, if in the reader's mind, is to buy a 50-cent bottle from your home druggist, and if you do not find it all we claim, get your money back. It will be cheerfully refunded by the druggist you bought of.

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FIRST COMMUNION

AT ST. PATRICKS CHURCH YESTERDAY MORNING.

A class of 250 children received first communion at 8 o'clock mass in St. Patrick's church yesterday morning; Rev. Fr. Gilday officinted and preached an eloquent sermon to the communicants.

MILITARY COMPANIES HOME.

The members of Companies C and G of the Sixth regiment, M. V. M., of this city, arrived home from South Framingham Saturday afternoon after a most successful tour of camp duty. It was with regret that many of the soldiers left the camp grounds for despite the fact that they put in a hard week it would take more than a week to have the novelty of the affair wear off.

RAILROAD TIE-UP.

Up to eleven o'clock yesterday morning none of the cars of the Pelham, Salem and Nashua line entered this city owing to a tie-up on the road. A large cable which supplies the southern and western divisions of the New Hampshire Traction Co., just under a railroad bridge at Greenland, N. H., parted and caused the delay. It took some time to repair the damage and the railroad company lost several hundred dollars by the tie-up.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR

WILL OBSERVE ST. JOHN'S DAY IN ELABORATE STYLE.

Pilgrim Commandery, Knights Templar of this city, assisted by commanderies from Newburyport and Haverhill, will observe St. John's day, which comes on Friday of this week, in an elaborate manner. An excellent program is being arranged for the occasion by Eminent Chancellor Herbert C. Taft of the local commandery, and his officers.

The principal features of the celebration will be a parade of the three commanderies through the principal streets of the city, followed by luncheon at the Masonic Temple, then a trolley trip to Mountain Rock grove where a big list of field day events will be conducted and a banquet served.

The Newburyport contingent under Commander Butler will be accompanied by the Newburyport band and under Commander Arnold the Haverhill knights will come with the Haverhill City band.

The visiting delegations will be met at the Middlesex street station at 10 o'clock in the morning by Pilgrim Commandery, which has engaged the American band for the day.

A line will be formed in Appleton and Chelmsford streets and the parade will move through Appleton to Central to Merrimack to the Masonic temple where a luncheon will be served.

The party will go to Mountain Rock on the electric cars.

RUSSAIN-JAPANESE WAR

(Continued.)

GEN. STAKELBERG IN TIGHT PLACE

PARIS, June 20.—A dispatch to the Echo de Paris from St. Petersburg says it is reported that Gen. Stakelberg lost 10,000 men in killed, wounded and missing while he was retreating from Vafangow. An entire division, it is said, composing his left wing, was surrounded by the Japanese and annihilated. The rest of his army got away by means of the railroad under the protection of the cavalry.

From Gen. Kuroki's headquarters in the field comes word that the Russians at Vafangow were allowed to pick their own battleground, and yet were decisively outgeneralled by the Japanese rather than outnumbered. It is asserted that the Russians had 42 battalions against 44 Japanese battalions. The Japanese had more than 200 guns.

The Russian losses at the Battle of Vafangow are reported to have been about 2000 men. About 1100 wounded, including 55 officers, have reached Liao Yang, and 38 officers and 734 wounded men Mukden. Gen. Stakelberg is obliged to retreat to the north, as the railroad is a failure when it comes to transporting an army.

AN INNER FORT TAKEN BY JAPS

CHEFOO, June 20.—There is current here a Chinese rumor that the Japanese have captured one of the inner forts of Port Arthur, losing 1000 men in the engagement. It cannot, however, be confirmed.

OKU'S VICTORY AT VAFANGOW

TOKIO, June 20.—Scouts having brought the news of the Russians massing a large army at Telissu, 29 miles north of Pulantien, evidently with the intention of attempting to force the Pitsewo-Pulantien line, which forms the northern gate of the peninsula, Gen. Oku resolved to assume the offensive. He marched out of Pulantien, June 13, his right moving by Taihabo, the centre along the railway and the left by three roads, the western-most of which was Fuchau highway, while the cavalry rode on the extreme right by the road from Pitsewo to Hiyugyochin.

The Japanese columns, driving in many of the enemy's outposts, bivouacked after a march of 12 miles. All the units being at their appointed positions on the morning of the 14th, the advance was resumed, the left wing moving independently to Nanchialing, while the centre and right, preserving touch, reached the line of the Chiackkatan-Tapingkau road, 12 kilometres south of Telissu. The country is hilly and the advance was difficult.

Reconnaissance now showed the enemy holding the line from Tafangshin to Lungwingmio, in a very strong position, but with defective facilities for retreat. This disadvantage, however, was outweighed by proximity to the railway, enabling the rapid arrival of re-enforcements. The Russian fighting line consisted of 25 battalions of infantry and 17 squadrons of cavalry, with 98 guns, to which constant additions arrived later.

The Japanese forthwith advanced to the Wangkaitun-Lungkiatun-Wukiatun line, where, posting artillery, they bombarded the enemy's positions from 3 to 5 p. m. During the night the centre occupied heights west of Lafangkau, and at dawn of the 15th the right seized the heights from Lungkaitun to Wangkiatum, which were ordered held firmly without making any strong offensive movement, pending a flank movement by the Fuchau column.

The morning of the 15th was foggy, but at 5.20 a. m. it cleared sufficiently for artillery to open from the centre and right, after which the centre, advancing upon hills in the valley of the Fuchau river, encountered stout resistance.

About 9.30 a. m. the movement on the left began to develop. Infantry and artillery of the Fuchau column reached the heights to the westward of Wangkiatum, thus establishing touch with the centre, when both columns faced a heavy artillery fire, the advance steadily scaling precipitous scarps and pushing back the enemy to Tafengshin.

Meanwhile the enemy's left, heavily re-enforced by the arrival of new troops, attempted to turn the Japanese right by repeated attacks, necessitating bringing up the whole Japanese reserves, which, supplemented by timely movements of the cavalry threatening the Russian left and rear, restored the Japanese initiative.

The entire line, gaining ground simultaneously, enveloped the position of the enemy, who at 3 p. m. commenced retreat which the Japanese by withering fire converted into a rout, although the ground did not favor pursuit. The Russian casualties are unknown, but they left 600 dead on the left wing alone.

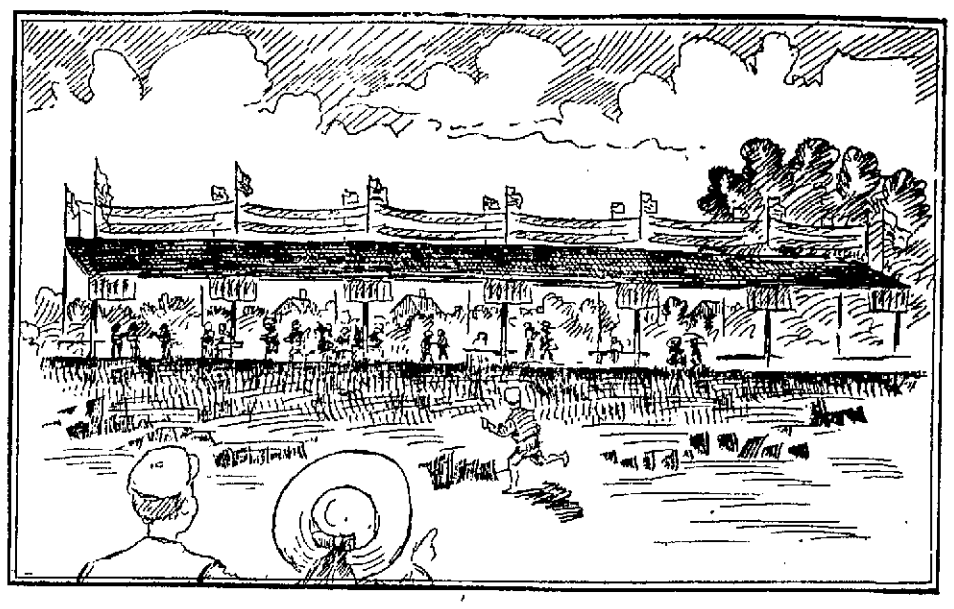
FIERCE FIGHTING AT CLOSE RANGE

LIAO YANG, June 20—At one point in the battle of Vafangow the combatants were engaged hand to hand, with stones and gun butts as weapons. In the Russian charge on a hill, the 6th company of the 3d regiment got to within 20 paces of the Japanese intrenchments. They lost all their officers and half their men.

The men lay panting under the Japanese trenches and out of range of their fire, and threw stones at them. The battle at this point became a hand-to-hand fight with stones and gun butts. The remainder of the Russians gained the shelter of a neighboring ravine, but were unable to hold the position in the face of the hail of shells and shrapnel. The Japanese heavy guns silenced the artillery supporting the Russian attack. Thirteen Russian guns were smashed to atoms and their horses killed. A majority of their gunners were killed or wounded.

The Japanese at this moment delivered their main attack. A whole division was thrown against the Russian centre and two divisions around the right flank. The Russian commander saw that he was being enveloped and rallied his reserves and retired in order.

The Russian losses total 3000, as near as can be ascertained.



THE SHELTER FOR THE CHILDREN ERECTED ON "BUNKER HILL."

CHILDREN HAPPY

Delighted With the Playground on Bunker Hill

The hearts of the little ones in Centralville who are enjoying the freedom of "Bunker Hill" have been made lighter and happier because of the good that has been done them. Despite the fact that the hill on whose summit they enjoy the gentle breezes, has always been there not until within a few days were the tired children allowed to run at random and sip from the cool spring whose sparkling water wends its way along the foot of the hill. It is an ideal spot for a playground and the cit yannuld have more of them.

The shed beneath whose sheltering roof the children will find protection from the sun's rays will in a little while be supplemented by other sheds and it is the sincere wish of the promoters that the good people of Lowell, those who are able to contribute and are charitably inclined, will undo their purse string and give generously so that the play house system may be extended.

The owners of "Bunker Hill," the Richardson heirs, John, Abel and Sumner have done their part by allowing the free use of the land. The playground was opened Saturday and the occasion was one that the children in that vicinity will remember long after the 65-foot shed has been removed to make room for a more pretentious building. If there is a breeze stirring in Centralville it can be most felt on "Bunker Hill" situated between Lakeview avenue and West Sixth street. On Saturday afternoon the shed was decorated with streamers of bunting and numerous small flags and the happy children danced on the green and in the sand to music furnished by Michael Grosse's hand organ. Not only will the children enjoy the playground but it will be a comfortable resting place for tired mothers and their babies whose days are spent in stuffy rooms or heated mills.

Officer Dennett who has been the chief promoter of the movement for this playground is being congratulated upon its success.

MACHINISTS VOTING

ON QUESTION THAT MAY CAUSE STRIKE.

NEW YORK, June 20—Members of the National Association of Machinists are casting a vote upon the question of enforcement of an article of the constitution, which, if decided in the affirmative, will bring about a strike on July 1 that will throw thousands of machinists out of employment.

The article was originally adopted August 1, 1903, and provides that no member of the association shall operate more than one machine or accept work by the piece, premium, merit, task or contract system under penalty of expulsion and that in shops where such systems are in operation they must be discontinued by July 1, 1904.

NORTH CHELMSFORD

"Children's Sunday" was observed at the Second Congregational church yesterday.

The following excellent program was given:

Processional Sunday school children Scripture reading, Sunday school children; prayer, Rev. D. A. Hudson, pastor of the church; song, Sunday school children; exercises, kindergarten class; Sunbeam story, Misses Ethel Belanger and Hilda De Sayle; song and solo, primary class; recitation, Miss Flora Durant; song, Miss Mildred Foote; recitation, Miss Mary Moore; song, Sunday school; exercises, nine little girls; duet, Misses Faith Trombley and Hazel Butterfield; recitation, Miss Ruth Wotton; flower exercises, four little girls; recitation, Miss Volia Welch; song, Miss Lillian Marinell; recitation, Miss Bertha Wright; song, Sunday school boys; recitation, Miss Ethel Reno; song, church choir; exercises, Sunday school boys; recitation, Miss Arvilla Piggott.

After the collection had been taken up, remarks were made by Rev. D. A. Hudson.

St. John's Total Abstinence Society and St. John's Ladies' Temperance Auxiliary held a very enjoyable outing at Long-Sought-For Pond Saturday, about 50 going in Hanson's barge "Champion," which left the village at 9 o'clock. A very enjoyable day was put in and the party returned home at 8 o'clock. The committee from the St. John's Total Abstinence Society which had charge of the outing consisted of: Stephen T. Ward, chairman; Thomas H. Larkin, secretary; John E. Harrington, James P. Quigley and James W. O'Connell. The refreshment committee from the St. John's Ladies' Temperance Auxiliary consisted of:

Miss Mary McGrath, chairman; assistants, Misses Clara McCoy, Rosella Monahan, Rosana McManomin, Alice Riney.

On July 23 the annual picnic of St. John's parish will be held at Nabnasset and a committee on arrangements was formed yesterday with John F. McManomin, chairman and James P. Quigley, secretary.

John E. Harrington was elected general manager of the picnic.

AFTER MORE PAY

All School Teachers Will Ask For Increase

AS WELL AS THE NINTH GRADE

Teachers Ask General Grading of Their Salaries

An innocent little petition carried about town by two fair young school marms a few weeks ago has caused all sorts of ructions in school circles.

The little petition asked that the pay of the teachers of the ninth grade be increased $100 per year and it was signed by about all to whom it was presented after which it was returned to the city council.

But since that petition went along the line i thas occurred to most of the teachers in the other grades that they are also in need of increases in salaries and as a result several hundred petitions are said to be in circulation calling for a general raise.

At present the salary of the teacher starts at $450 a year and goes up to $800 for teachers in the primary and elementary grades. Now comes the little petition of the ninth or highest grade asking for $100 more. Now the teachers ask that the salaries be so graded that the maximum yearly salary will be $800 for those who have seen 10 years of service; $600, $500 and $450 for those of shorter terms of service.

Petitions are now in circulation and each teacher is supposed to get the names of 50 voters. It is believed that 5000 votes can thus be raised.

Should salaries be so graded that teachers serving 10 years get an increase of $50 a year it would mean an increase of $40,000 in salaries for the first year.

BIG BARN FIRE

Did $1000 Damage on Union Street

A fire broke out in a barn in Union street yesterday afternoon about four o'clock, wich for a time threatened the immediate vicinity. When the department arrived the barn was burning fiercely, and as it is situated in what is known as "Shenandoah Valley," which is thickly populated and the buildings for the greater part being of wood, there was considerable danger of the fire communicating to these buildings. Before the flames were extinguished the fire did about $1000 damage. The building was owned by the Dwyer heirs of Boston and is leased to Mr. Peter Watson, who occupies a portion of the barn for his wagons and horses, and sub-lets the other portions to J. T. McGarvey, proprietor of the Central Cash Market and Edward Fairburn, who conducts a restaurant in Gorham street. One portion was unoccupied, the man who rented it having left there last Thursday.

The barn is really a combination of barns built together, and as the houses were so close to the building the firemen had a hard time to fight the flames.

The fire was first discovered by Mrs. Sarah Shea, who resides at 29 Union street, with her husband. She was sitting at the kitchen window when a large quantity of smoke issued from the roof of the barn. Her first act was to call to her husband, who was in the front room with Stephen Dempsey, who rushed out of the front door and went into the alley from Chapel street, and burst open the barn.

A passerby seeing the fire sounded the alarm.

Messrs. Shea and Dempsey succeeded in rescuing two horses belonging to Mr. McGarvey.

The fire started in a pile of rubbish in the unoccupied portion of the barn and suspicion for a while rested on the man who had formerly hired it, but an investigation brought out the fact that the former occupant has been in jail since Friday, so that cleared him.

In one section of the barn Mr. Watson had several sets of harnesses stored, besides a large amount of paper, boxes and other stuff while Mr. McGarvey had two horses and three wagons in the section occupied by him. All of his property was rescued before the flames reached that part of the building. Mr. Fairburn's loss will not be large. The largest loss will come on the building itself.

Chief Hosmer in conversation with a reporter of The Sun said that he had no intention of sending for Fire Marshal's Aid Casey of Haverhill, for he had a talk with Supt. Moffatt of the local police department and the latter detailed Inspectors Laflamme and Maher to look into the fire and see what they could find in regard to the cause.

LAMP KNOCKED OVER.

An alarm from box 125 at 8.20 last evening summoned a portion of the fire department to the Greek district in upper Market street, where a lamp had been pulled off a table, setting fire to the contents of the room. The occupants of the house extinguished the blaze before the department arrived, but in the meantime some excited person had pulled in an alarm.

DUMP FIRE.

Yesterday afternoon, about 2.30 o'clock, a telephone alarm was sent into the Central fire station for a dump fire at the Fair Grounds. The Gorham street house was notified and the members went to the scene of the blaze and worked strenuously for two hours before the blaze was quenched. The flames had eaten into the ground for a considerable distance and the firemen found it quite difficult to get at the fire. No serious damage resulted.

SURPRISED BY HIS FRIENDS.

William Dennett, of Read street, was very agreeably surprised Saturday evening by being presented with an umbrella. He went to a friend's house to attend what was supposed to be a committee meeting, but was hastily called home to see a man who wanted to speak to him on an urgent matter.

He hurried back to his home only to find that it was filled with ladies and gentlemen acquaintances of his. A delightful evening was spent and at an opportune time Rev. W. W. Shenk presented the umbrella to Mr. Dennett. Mr. Dennett responded with a neat speech of acceptance.

Mr. Dennett goes to Lake Erie for the summer and upon his return will start on his fourth year at Harvard college.

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